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WEATHER FORECAST
Victoria and Vicinity—Cloudy in morning, clearing by noon. Winds southwesterly 20 m.p.h. Little change in temperature. High today, 50.
Yesterday's Temperatures—Maximum, 44; minimum, 41; minimum on the grass, 41.
Yesterday's Sunshine—Nil.
Yesterday's Rain—66 inch.

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Prairie Regions See No Easing Of Floodwaters

Manitoba Still Awaits Crest As Two Rivers Creep Higher

WINNIPEG, April 24 (CP).—Weary prairie residents, aided by disaster relief agencies, today were redoubling their fight against rising waters spreading across urban and rural areas.

Latest word from the flood-stricken areas came from Emerson, Man., on the Manitoba - United States line, where subsidence in dike conditions were about the worst in the Red River valley. The Red River had reached its highest level since 1897 at Emerson and was continuing to rise beyond the 43.06-foot mark reached early today.

In Winnipeg, facing the prediction that the peaks of the Red and Assiniboine Rivers would reach here not more than ten days apart, the 1,000-man Manitoba Brigade offered its services to relief committees.

Conditions in Saskatchewan paralleled those of Manitoba. The village of Anglin, southwest of Saskatoon, was marooned Friday night when McKinnon Creek broke loose, adding to already desperate flood conditions in the Rosetown area.

At Estevan in southern Saskatchewan, the pumphouse was flooded out, cutting off the water supply. Residents were warned to boil water before drinking it.

Alberta's death toll due to floods stood at three today. An East Coulee woman died in hospital Friday from injuries suffered when a bridge near her house was dynamited. Two young boys had been drowned earlier near their homes.

EMERSON, Man., April 24 (CP).—Latest word from the flood-stricken Manitoba provinces came tonight from authorities here who said conditions in Emerson, Man., were about the worst in the West.

Officials decided to wire the army for an amphibious vessel because relief operations were hindered by a shortage of boats.

The railways still were running trains in and out of Emerson, but the Red River level rose another foot. It was doubted whether the C.P.R. railway bridge could hold out.

Artist's Version of New Victoria Tourists' Building

Of tremendous importance to the tourist industry of Greater Victoria and Vancouver Island will be the new Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau building to be established by the Victoria Rotary Club at the northern end of the Causeway. It will be built at an estimated cost of $20,000 as a Rotary project. A campaign to raise the necessary funds is now under way, and it is hoped the building will be opened toward the middle of June. The artist's sketch shows the streamlined modernistic design of the new building, which will be located on the front window, and a display of flowers to be set near the entrance. Site windows will overlook the Inner Harbor.

Dominion Plan Would Provide Hospital Aid

Insurance Legislation Promises Federal Grants If Implemented

By TOM GREEN
Colonist Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA, April 25.—Health insurance legislation now under Cabinet consideration and which the Government expects to present during the present session of Parliament contains three features, it was learned tonight in high quarters.

The plan would provide for: (1) Federal public health grants to be paid the Provinces. (2) Federal assistance for hospital construction. (3) Federal grants for planning and organization.

Once implemented in the form of legislation passed by Parliament, it would be capable of going into immediate operation in British Columbia and others of the seven Provinces who have signed the new Dominion-Provincial financial agreements and all of whom have been pressing the Government to bring in a national insurance plan.

The official Ottawa view is that it will take several years to bring in a full health insurance program in Canada. Most of the seven Provinces have indicated a strong desire that the scheme should be flexible enough to permit the Provinces to build on the existing structure of health services in each province.

What changes may be made in this measure as drafted before being presented to parliament, is a difficult to say. Finance Minister D. C. Abbott is urging the keeping down of Federal costs and this has given rise to reports that while the bill is expected to be presented this session, the Government may decide not press it through Parliament before prorogation in June. The three Federal grants mentioned in the drafted bill would be on a per capita basis of the provinces willing to develop the public health services essential for health insurance and along the lines of the 1945 Dominion proposals during the conferences for new financial agreements. If the bill as now proposed goes through, the next step in development would be health insurance itself. Should financial agreement not be reached by the Dominion with Ontario and Quebec, health insurance might be further delayed.

Public health grants and the encouragement of hospital construction are recognized as being necessary preliminaries to health insurance, and Federal grants for planning and organization would take care of the establishment of full-time planning staffs and cover the costs of training the necessary personnel to them. Action to encourage the construction of more hospitals throughout Canada is considered necessary for two reasons:

(1) Because there is now a great shortage of hospital accommodation.

(2) Because under health insurance it is expected that since hospital treatment will be free for everyone there will be a greatly increased use of hospitals. In the 1945 proposals the Federal Government offered to assist by providing low interest loans for hospital construction, and this is the form of assistance now contemplated.

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BULLETINS

Plant Blast

EL SEGUNDO, Calif., April 24 (CP).—With a roaring jar that rocked a five-mile radius, a gasoline finishing plant blew up today in Standard Oil of California's sprawling El Segundo refinery.

Ships Collide

ST. CLAIR, Mich., April 24 (CP).—Two ships were badly damaged tonight when they collided in the fog-covered St. Clair River, three miles south of here. Neither ship was in danger of sinking.

Ask Recall Of I.W.A. President

Ouster of Greenall Flayed by Members

EVERETT, April 24 (CP).—District No. 2 of the C.I.O. International Woodworkers of America today recommended the recall of International president James Fadling.

A resolution adopted by the group after two and one-half hours of heavy debate urged the recall on the contention that Fadling had violated the union constitution in suspending International trustee Jack Greenall of Vancouver, B.C.

Fadling suspended Greenall for his refusal to sign a non-Communist affidavit under the Taft-Hartley labor law.

The resolution said that in ousting Greenall, Fadling had ignored the provisions of the union's constitution calling for filling of charges, hearing and right of appeal.

In a talk at the convention, Fadling asserted that in suspending Greenall he had been carrying out the will of the majority at the last International Convention.

Daylight Saving Time Here Put Clocks Ahead an Hour

DAYLIGHT Saving Time came officially to British Columbia at 2 a.m. today.

If you didn't set your clocks and watches ahead an hour before retiring last night, now is the time to do it. Fast time will be observed until September 26. New schedules of ships and planes serving Victoria and the Island, with times and departures listed in a separate section on Page 11. All buses of Vancouver Island Coach Lines Ltd. will operate on Daylight Saving Time.

Police Free Union Foe Of Reuther

Negro to Appear In Court Wednesday

DETROIT, April 24 (CP).—A political foe of Walter P. Reuther was freed today after two days of questioning in the attempted assassination of the fiery union leader.

The release on $2,000 bond of Melvin Davis, 32, was ordered by Judge Arthur Webster despite the plea of Detroit police that the Negro auto worker be detained another 48 hours.

Davis, a minor local official of Reuther's United Auto Workers, was taken into custody Thursday on a report from a union tipster that he could give information on Reuther's shooting, police said. Prosecutor James N. McNally said Davis was an admitted Communist.

Held without charge, Davis demanded freedom on grounds he was "manifestly innocent" and the police had no "specific reason" to hold him.

Police asserted that Davis "isn't telling all he knows."

At a hearing on Davis' writ of habeas corpus Saturday afternoon, Judge Webster ordered Davis released on bond.

Davis was told, however, to be available for further questioning. Specifically, he was told to appear for questioning at 11 a.m. Wednesday. "The hearing on the writ of habeas corpus was adjourned until May 3, when authorities will either give more information on Davis or ask the court to dismiss the bond.

Latin America Alert For Trouble May 1

(By The Associated Press)

Many Latin American countries, forewarned by the riotous events at Bogota, are taking extensive security precaution to prevent a repetition of the day-long disorders which swept the Colombian capital two weeks ago.

Police and troops have been ordered to watch for signs of Communist outbreaks. Delegations from cities south of the Rio Grande said Saturday. Reinforced guards will be posted around public utilities, communication centres and Government buildings.

The Bogota uprising, which the Communists are accused of exploiting for their own ends, has caused concern in many countries in South and Central America.

Authorities in Brazil, Chile and Paraguay have reported Communist plots for uprisings May 1, a legal holiday in a number of Latin American countries.

Colombia—For perhaps the first May Day in modern Colombia history, steel-helmeted troops with fixed bayonets will be posted in Bogota and other major cities. The national police force has ceased to exist since the outbreak of April 9 and the army maintains order under martial law. May Day demonstrations and parades have been forbidden.

Chile—Troops have been ordered to stop any Communist attempts to disturb May Day celebrations. President Gabriel Gonzalez Videla is scheduled to address a mass meeting of non-Communist labor groups in front of the presidential palace.

Brazil—Police, who claim to have smashed a Communist plot for a second Bogota" in Rio de Janeiro, have been ordered to prevent May Day celebrations.

Argentina—No special arrangements have been made to control possible Communist demonstrators. It appears likely the 40,000 Communists in Buenos Aires will be swallowed up in the demonstration of the 300,000 or more workers who support President Juan D. Peron.

Navy to Fire Royal Salute

At noon on Monday, ships of the Royal Canadian Navy will fire a Royal Salute of 21 guns to mark the 20th wedding anniversary of Their Majesties King George VI and Queen Elizabeth.

Canada's warship will be gay with bunting from stem to stern when the order "dress ship" is carried out for the occasion.

Here at Esquimalt, H.M.C.S. Ontario will fire the salute, while all active ships will obey the "dress ship" order.

Other ships at Esquimalt affected are the Antigonish, Cayuga, Crescent and Rockcliffe.

Manson Hits Bench Critics

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., April 24 (CP).—Mr. Justice A. M. Manson said at the summer here that too often there is criticism against the bench.

"British Justice is a great tradition, and anything that undermines its strikes at the very rock of the foundation of democracy."

He refrained from naming the source of criticism, but said: "Too often we see in the press and from other places, comments made against the bench. We are human and naturally make mistakes. We do not like criticism because we want to. That is the hardest part of this."

Recently in the Legislature, C.C.F. Leader Harold Winch and his father, E. E. Winch, criticized the courts in a manner that some felt was harsh.

Victoria May Invite Truman

When President Truman visits Washington State in June, he may make a stopover in Victoria.

Mayor Percy E. George, when informed of the chief executive's proposed visit, said last night the city "would be very pleased if the President decided to come here too," although an official invitation has not yet been considered.

News of Mr. Truman's trip was announced yesterday by Washington Governor M. C. Wallgren, who disclosed he had submitted the President recently and asked him.

The President's trip, said Governor Wallgren, is tentatively scheduled for June 6, 10 and 11.

Simpler Formula Seeks Palestine Trusteeship

NEW YORK, April 24 (AP).—The United States delegation arrived today on a simplified formula to get the United Nations on record in favor of a trusteeship for Palestine.

A spokesman for the United States delegation said the new strategy would follow these general lines:

1. The United States would first try to get the 58-nation political committee of the General Assembly to agree that the United Nations would become the responsible authority in Palestine when the British mandate ends May 15.

2. If the committee accepts this principle, the United States then would seek an agreement that a trusteeship is the only type of United Nations rule provided for in the United Nations Charter.

3. With these basic issues decided, the Assembly could get down to work on the details of a trusteeship plan. This could follow the lines laid down in the United States plan, or a simplified formula to get a simplified stop-gap plan to be used until a long-term plan could be worked out.

With the end of the British mandate only three weeks away, time was the big element in the Palestine discussions, which continued here over the week-end. As a result, there was an increased tendency to concentrate on emergency action.

This trend was reflected both in the Security Council's decision last night to set up a three-national Palestine truce commission and in the political committee's decision to give top priority to a French move to safeguard the holy places of Jerusalem.

The truce commission—composed of the United States, France and Belgium—is expected to begin discussions Monday with Jewish and Arab representatives in an effort to get them to observe the Security Council's cease-fire order of April 17.

U.S. Retains Air Corridor

BERLIN, April 24 (AP).—Gen. Lucius D. Clay gave notice today that the United States will continue to use the air corridor between Berlin and the Western occupation zones.

The American commander expressed United States policy following reports the Russians plan to restrict air travel of the Western Allies with new "safety" regulations.

He told a news conference:

"We will abide by the quadripartite (four-power) agreements which set up the air corridor and we will continue use of the air corridor."

Clay reported the Russians have made no formal proposals to set up the restrictions. Such a program has been officially recommended by the Russian military governor by a Soviet commission.

He said four-power agreement prohibits formation flying or military maneuvers in the air corridors but, "when the time comes that you have to use fighter escort, I don't think you'll worry about that very much."

Royal Silver Wedding Cake

ROBERT Patrick (left) designed the cake for Monday's silver wedding anniversary of King George and Queen Elizabeth, lies spects the square, two-tiered, 3 foot 6-inch cake in the Windsor Bakery in School Road, London. The cake is made mainly from ingredients sent as gifts from abroad. The royal cachet, including Windsor and Sandringham, are depicted in icing on the base. Other illustrations show various lifetimes of the King and Queen. With Patrick is Miss Joan Russell who did most of the decorating and sketching for the cake decorations.

International Criminals Fear New Police Force

LONDON, April 24 (Reuters).—The International Criminal Police Commission—the F.B.I. of 22 countries which, from headquarters in Paris, wages a relentless world war against crime—is quietly but effectively beating up its inactive foe, the ever-present abroad of modern political and criminal events.

Recent events in Europe have naturally put an added strain on the commission's activities, but its effectiveness has not been affected.

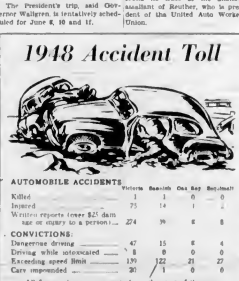
The commission's tentacles reach radio, linguistic, fingerprint and writing experts—to mention only a few pieces of this great world-wide "sleuthing" agency—free to crease to pursue their studies in differ-

Royal Broadcast Monday Evening

THE broadcast of the King and Queen on the event of their silver wedding anniversary will be carried over radio station CJVI Monday from 6 to 7 p.m., Pacific daylight time, and over CBR, Vancouver, at 7.30 p.m. Pacific daylight time.

Their Majesties will go on the air after they have made a state drive to St. Paul's Cathedral.

1948 Accident Toll



WALTER P. REUTHER

Seriously wounded by a shotgun blast Tuesday night, was told yesterday that he may yet retain the use of his right arm, feared to have been crippled. Police so far have found no trace of the unknown assailant of Reuther, who is president of the United Auto Workers Union.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

	Victoria	Saanich	Oak Bay	Sub-Urban
Killed	1	1	0	0
Injured	75	14	1	1
Written reports (over $25 damage or injury to a person)	274	36	8	8
CONVICTIONS:				
Dangerous driving	47	15	6	4
Driving while intoxicated	8	0	0	0
Exceeding speed limit	130	122	21	27
Cars impounded	20	7	0	0

All figures shown are reports from the start of the year

Don't bet your life against speed—you will lose every time—Memo from Esquimalt Chief of Police Gilbert Stancombe.

Jewish Militia Battles To Seal Off Haifa Port

JERUSALEM, April 24 (AP).—Jewish militia fought today to take possession of buffer zones to seal off their greatest prize, the port city of Haifa.

Improving

While thousands of weary Arabs streamed from the city, which was captured by Jews in a spectacular battle Thursday, Haganah guns blazed out at Beiad Ksh Shrikh and nearby Tirah, two Arab villages about five miles east of the big port.

The British said the Arabs asked for a truce at dawn after an all-night fight and agreed to surrender their arms. Women and children of villages turned in, however, the Jews delivered an ultimatum for the delivery of all guns and the fighting was renewed. Latest reports said the British have arranged a temporary truce for the evacuation of women and children from the villages.

Dispatches from Haifa said the Jews were trying to prevent the evacuation of the 27,000 Arabs remaining in the city.

Arab leaders replied to Jewish persuasion, however, that they would not "subject ourselves to conquerors."

Indications were that most of the Arabs would leave the city to excellent protest against the Jewish blitz of the parts of the town not controlled by the British.

Admit Poison Responsibility

SWEENEY, Tex., April 24 (AP).—The Santa Fe Railway Company tonight assumed responsibility for a train crash and the "financial housecleaning of arsenic in Little Linville Creek."

A Santa Fe official at Galveston, Tex., disclosed last Wednesday that 3,000 gallons of weed-killer arsenate had been dumped by mistake from a railroad car into the creek.

Since then, farmers and stockmen over a 15-mile area along the Little and a 15-mile area along the Little from the poisoned water.

No official estimate of losses has been made.

Highs and Lows Of the Weather

Medicine Hat	72	52
North Bay	70	34 Trace
Port Arthur	70	42
Winnipeg	47	41 .28
Toronto	61	35 .20
Ottawa	61	31 .04
Montreal	55	41
Fredericton	55	31 .49
St. John's	41	31 .04
Halifax	50	36 .02
Calgary	36	21 Trace
Edmonton	36	21
Kamloops	56	35 Trace
Prince Rupert	50	44 .04
Vancouver	52	44 .44
Victoria	50	41
Portland	60	37
San Francisco	54	48
Los Angeles	66	48
Chicago	56	46
Minneapolis	48	36
Detroit	56	35
Washington	66	48
Los Angeles	66	48

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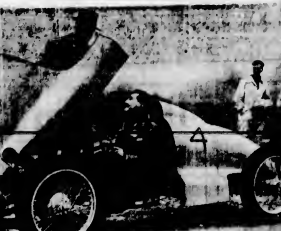
"Make-It-Yourself" Automobile



Sitting in midget racing car he drove at Luton Hoo, England, speed trials, Lord David Strathcorron, who at 24 is Britain's youngest racing peer, speeds with Captain J. B. Beza (left). Car, called "Marwyn," is powered by one-cylinder engine, and is unique in that it is sold in parts, and bears no resemblance to any other design. It is expected to do 100 miles per hour. Company is turning them out at rate of 20 per month.

Rites in Canada, Abroad Commemorate Anzac Day

Wreaths will be laid on the Cenotaph, Victory Square, Vancouver, by the Australian Government Trade Commissioner Mr F B. Chilink and the New Zealand Government representative, Mr E. K Ackland at 3 p.m. today in commemoration of ANZAC Day.

ANZAC Day is the day set aside by Australians and New Zealanders as sacred to the memory of their dead in two world wars. Through out Australia and New Zealand in the biggest cities and the smallest townships ceremonies are held before war memorials. ANZAC Day is a holiday but it is a day of solemn remembrance. Theatres and business centres are closed and there are special services in the churches.

There are commemorative services at all parts abroad where there are Australian and New Zealand representatives. Elsewhere in Canada next Sunday wreaths will be laid by Government officials stationed at Ottawa and Montreal, and also at Toronto and Calgary by officers of the ANZAC Clubs at their services. Members of ANZAC Clubs are former Australians and New Zealand servicemen now living in Canada.

April 25 is the anniversary of the landing of Australian and New Zealand forces at Gallipoli Peninsula in 1915. This was the first large scale action in which they were engaged in the Great War. The force was known as the Australia and New Zealand Army Corps and the word ANZAC was coined from the initials of the corps.

The broken which the ANZACS and their British comrades showed in that action, in which they scaled the steep head lands of Gallipoli and won positions at the top in the face of a continuous rain of fire from the Turks, was not surpassed in any other action in the Great War.

Knight Errant Downed by Damsel

OAKLAND, Calif., April 24 (AP).—Like a knight of old, Hugh Wood charged into a dark parking lot early today to the rescue of a screaming woman.

He was brought up by a haymaker that made him bounce when he hit.

Wood, 58, told police he vaguely remembered a woman of Amazon stature bending over him and going through his pockets. His name is distinctive, nursing a sore jaw and minus $20.

Police said it was a new sort of come-on game.

Dominion Plan Would Provide Hospital Aid

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In addition to public health grants, grants for planning and organization and assistance for hospital construction, the 1948 Dominion proposals included Dominion grants for tuberculosis, mental health, V.D. control, crippled children, research in public health and for civilian blind. These Federal health insurance proposals were designed to put provincial governments in a financial position gradually to work out their own health insurance plans, with each province administering its own particular part to provide a national health plan. The first stages of health insurance itself include general practitioner service, hospital care and visiting nursing service.

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"Pink Slips" Issued For Visitors

REGINA, April 24 (CP).—Saskatchewan residents visiting British Columbia will be issued "pink slips" to comply with British Columbia financial responsibility laws, provincial Secretary G. W. Valleau said today.

Although the government had asked that Saskatchewan drivers licences be accepted instead of the pink slips, British Columbia officials agreed to issue them. He said no complaints had been received from British Columbia officials about the adequacy of Saskatchewan compulsory automobile insurance under the British Columbia legislation.

Newfoundland To Choose Future in June

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., April 24 (CP).—Newfoundland electors will choose June 3 whether they want to continue under a commission government, restore responsible government or enter federal union with Canada.

A national convention recommended that Newfoundland electors be allowed the choice of retaining commission government for the next five years, or restoring responsible government.

However, a minority report submitted to the British Government by the Dominion recommended that the third choice of federal union with Canada be added to the ballot paper. This was accepted by Whitehall.

The convention's second purpose was to report on the economic status of the country. It found that Newfoundland had become self-supporting again after losing its responsible government in the midst of financial difficulties in 1934.

A Commission of six civil servants under a Governor took over the government of the island at that time and has administered it ever since.

Early in the war, markets for Newfoundland's primary products expanded. Huge defence expenditures by Canada, Britain and the United States turned the island's recurring deficits into surpluses.

Meeting of European Leaders With Marshall Seen as Likely

WASHINGTON, April 24 (AP).—Secretary of State Marshall returned today from the Inter-American Conference and the brief outbreak of "fun war" at Bogota to resume direction of American strategy in the global "cold war" with Russia.

His arrival stirred speculation of the probability of an early meeting between American officials and leaders of the Western European nations the conference to complete work next week.

Marshall brought along on the plane with him William McChesney Martin, president of the Export-Import Bank, and Brig.-Gen. Marshall Carter, Marshall's secretary.

Marshall is expected to confer with President Truman Monday. The President returned shortly before noon from an overnight yacht cruise on the Potomac with his wife and daughter.

Meanwhile, official informants confirmed reports given out here yesterday that Marshall's decision to leave the Inter-American Conference and get back to his desk to a general accumulation of business was due not to any single portent issue requiring his attention at hand in world affairs but tension hold Russian-backed Communism in check in Europe.

American officials were uncertain for the moment whether such a meeting would bring Marshall together with the Western European leaders, such as Britain's Foreign Minister Bevin and France's Bidault, or whether the sessions would be at the diplomatic level. Marshall himself is expected to review the situation and lay down a course for action next week.

Within 20 minutes after his arrival, Marshall was closeted at the State Department with his diplomatic chief of staff, Undersecretary of State Robert Lovett, who has been running things in his absence.

Presumably one of the subjects covered in Lovett's reportedly sweeping review of world affairs was the Palestine crisis. Lovett is known to be deeply concerned over the failure of Jews and Arabs to respond to American - supported United Nations efforts to end the fighting in the Holy Land.

Marshall himself confined his public comments to the Inter-American Conference. He said he expected the conference to complete its work next week.

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Battle Royal Follows Wedding Eve

WASHINGTON, April 24 (AP).—"What a way to start a marriage," said the bride, her train in tatters and her groom in jail after a riotous reception party a few hours after the wedding today.

At least one member of the party was in a hospital and five more including the groom in white tie and tails were facing charges of assault with dangerous weapons—bottles.

The bride was the former Catherine Cecilia Sullivan, the groom James Anthony Manning, Jr.

Somehow—the police say they don't know how or why—a fight broke out at the reception held in downtown Washington shortly after the ceremony.

Police said about half the 100 guests were involved.

The precinct police station where they were taken was No. 13.

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Rotary Club Starts Fund Campaign To Construct New Tourist Building

No one can deny the value of the tourist industry to Victoria and Vancouver Island and Canada.

Victoria and the Island are in an ideal position to offer much to the tourist or vacationer.

A total of 56,787 cars, carrying 172,653 passengers, came to Vancouver Island through Victoria and Sidney last year. It is assumed all these figures account for automobile passengers alone.

Members of the Victoria Rotary Club realize the tremendous value of the tourist industry to Victoria, and with this in mind have launched a drive to raise $20,000, to build a new and ultra-modern tourist information bureau.

Plans for the building have been completed, and actual construction will start as soon as possible.

The building will be established at the northern end of the Causeway on the southwest corner of Government and Humboldt Streets. The site has been acquired by the club on a 20-year lease basis, free from taxes and rent.

ATTRACTIVE BUREAU

The bureau will be attractive both outside and in. Flowers and shrubbery will decorate the grounds, while large windows will allow all within to see over the Inner Harbor and Parliament Buildings.

Staff members of the Victoria and District Publicity Bureau will answer questions forwarded by tourists. Folders, maps and other information literature will be available in the bureau.

The bureau will be on a guaranteed basis, the C.P.R. and Black Ball Ferry lines assisting.

George I. Warren, commissioner of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, estimates "at least 30,000" persons will call at the new building during the Summer if it opens in June.

WORKS HARD

The Rotary Club is going all out on this project. It is hoped necessary funds will be raised within a short time, and that actual construction will soon be under way.

Louis Mallett, president-elect of the Rotary Club, will serve as general chairman of the fund-raising drive.

Under him will be Charles Brown, heading a committee responsible with many members assisting; John Craig, as accountant, and a special committee of W. C. Mainwaring, President Jeffrey Arnett, Mrs. Taylor and E. McMullen.

It Bailey will handle all publicity relating to the campaign.

Contributions are already being received. The British-American Paint Co., Ltd., and the British Columbia Electric Railway Co., Ltd., have each contributed $1,000 to "get the ball rolling."

Saanich School Costs Blamed As Sole Reason for Mill Boost

"If school costs had not risen at high Saanich, would taxes be the same mill rate as last year, or even reduced 1?" John Tribe, municipal clerk, said yesterday.

Mr Tribe said the school mill rate for School District No 81 has increased from 14.3 to 17.6 mills, and from 12.5 to 21.8 mills for School District No. 63. General rate was reduced 1.7 mills to 21 mills.

"School costs in District No. 81 this year is more than $172,000. In 1947 the two school districts' costs combined only cost about this much," stated Mr. Tribe.

School costs in District No. 81 have gone up about $38,200, and in District No. 63 about $22,400. If an arbitration board rules in favor of school board estimates, the total will be held Tuesday.

Estimates for road maintenance expenditures this year are $94,500, same as last year. An additional $5,000 has been put into this amount for expenditure on bus routes. The $5,000 is the minimum early grant assistance paid the municipality from 1% per 1% of the Vancouver Island Coach Lines fares under the transportation franchise.

In 1947 it was estimated that 94 percent of taxes would be collected, but only 89 per cent was taken in. This year the figure has been set again at 89 per cent.

Saanich council will meet again on Thursday to discuss the estimates. Regular council meeting will be held Tuesday.

More Jobs for Older Veterans Aim of Drive Started in City

A national campaign drawing attention to the older veteran employment situation will be launched here on May 3 by the Corps of Commissionaires sponsored by the Department of Veterans Affairs and the Department of Labor, it was announced yesterday by D.V.A. officials.

"The campaign is a major feature of the continuing program to secure employment for older veterans, and is aimed at attaining a greater utilization by employers of a member of the corps," explained Mr. S. H. Okell, D.V.A. assistant district administrator in Victoria. "The problem in British Columbia is particularly acute."

Statistics show that the unemployment problem for men over 45 years of age is twice as bad in British Columbia as it is in the rest of Canada. Of 22,041 men registered as out of work by National Employment Service in this province, 8,604 (39 per cent) are between the ages of 45-64 and 2,390 (11 per cent are 65 or over). The national average is 30 per cent of all unemployed over 45 years of age.

Reluctance of employers to hire men in the older age brackets is a growing problem, affecting Canada's whole economic structure, according to Department of Labor officials.

The Corps of Commissionaires was formed in England shortly after the Crimean War. A Captain Walter, who had served in that campaign discovered several of the men begging in the streets of London. Believing that there should be something better for the old soldier than a tin cup, he approached Parliament for permission to put them into uniform and find jobs for them. Parliament agreed, and today the corps has grown into a large well developed organization, with a branch of which it is inordinately proud.

The movement spread to Canada in 1920, and its services are used by such nationally known organizations as the Canadian Bankers Association, Steel Company of Canada, Trans-Canada Airlines, Famous Players Theatres and numerous other Canadian firms and industries.

Personnel of the Corps of Commissionaires are very carefully selected, and are available for service either in uniform or in plain clothes on short notice for temporary or permanent duty. They take care from being messenger and doorman to armed guards, elevator operators, and other positions of trust.

Employers interested in engaging commissionaires should apply to the Canadian Corps of Commissionaires office, 805 Courtney Street, Victoria.

McGeer Hobby Farm Honors Late Senator

Honoring the late Senator G. G. McGeer, a group of Vancouver citizens have banded together in a drive to prevent juvenile delinquency in British Columbia.

This was announced today by L. H. Swarts, one of the directors of the McGeer Memorial Farm.

LATE SEN. G. G. McGEER

of the Senator McGeer Memorial Hobby Farm.

"There is a trying need," Mr. Swarts said. "For some organization in British Columbia to care for boys from 13 to 20 years of age who lack the advantage of a good home and are in danger of becoming delinquents.

"The Borstal system provides for youngsters who have fallen into the clutches of the law. We need something in this province to see that they are given a chance to get into position where they must appear before a magistrate.

"It is for this purpose," he said, "that the McGeer Memorial Farm is being established and it is our hope that we will shortly be able to open a $100,000 establishment in the Fraser Valley where underprivileged boys will get a chance to grow up as good Canadian citizens.

SEEKS PREVENTION

"The McGeer Memorial Farm is designed not to commit juvenile delinquency but rather to prevent it."

Mrs. McGeer herself is one of the directors of the movement," Mr. Swarts said, "and although we hope to raise funds by public subscription, the directors feel that no matter what the public reaction, the endeavor must succeed."

The farm will be run on a cooperative system and youngsters attending it will play an active part in the actual construction.

Full Crowder has been named supervisor and already more than 56 applications have been received from like boys.

"Boys attending the institution will be requested to attend churches of their own preference, but the farm will operate with equality to-wards all races, colors and creeds," Mr. Swarts said.

The Senator McGeer Memorial Farm is designed not to serve the Vancouver area alone, but the whole of British Columbia.

Real Estate Board Names J. N. Fraser

JOHN N Fraser has been named president of the Real Estate Board of Victoria, with J. Arthur Wild, first vice-president; F. N. Cabelda, second vice-president, and Hubert Letchby, secretary-treasurer.

Executive committee for 1948-49 will include E. P. Burton, Denis Hagar, H. C. Holmes, R. H. Shanks and Brooke Stephenson.

Annual meeting of the board will be held in the private dining-room of the Empress Hotel, Wednesday, May 19, at 12 noon when new executive will be installed.

Kinsmen Group To See Wismer

A delegation will leave Vancouver Monday for Victoria to confer with Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer on the legal aspects of a "Food For Britain" contest being conducted by the Vancouver Kinsmen Club.

The club is faced with action by Victoria authorities following a ruling by the department that lotteries for charities are illegal.

The delegation will be headed by Sydney Welsh, chairman of the group, who said yesterday he "would like to see a ruling made in Victoria."

Officers of the club say they obtained legal opinion on the venture before launching it. Thousands of tickets have been sold and many more books distributed for sale.

James McGrath, artist, spoke Friday on the headquarters of the Cypress Club and the Vancouver Sports Club when 15,000 tickets were sold.

L. G. A. Schlichting Will Address Club

L. G. A. Schlichting, press attache at The Netherlands Government Office, Ottawa, will be guest speaker at a meeting of the Victoria Canadian Club Friday, April 30, at 12 p.m. in the Empress Hotel.

He will discuss "The Netherlands in Remade Europe."

Graduate of Amsterdam University and a lawyer by profession, he is a former newspaperman, and worked on underground publications during the war. He has just returned from a trip to Holland.

India Official To Visit City

Hon. Sardar H. S. Malik, C.I.E., India's High Commissioner to Canada, will pay a five-day visit to Victoria from May 14 to 18, it was announced recently.

Mr. Malik, who has had a varied career, was chosen to lead the Indian State's industrial delegation to the United Kingdom and the United States.

He has also participated in numerous international conferences as India's representative, and was leader of the Indian delegation at the International Trade Conference in Havana last year.

Three Injured

ALBANY, Ore., April 24 (AP) — Three Oregon State College students were injured today, two critically, when their car plunged from a highway north of here.

Operators See $50 Pension

WASHINGTON, April 24 (AP) — Bituminous coal operators disclosed today a statistical report that the present ten cent royalty per ton of coal would finance only a $50 monthly pension for miners.

John L. Lewis has demanded $100 a month. The United Mine Workers' boss insists that the ten cent collection which now brings $30,000,000 and $60,000,000 annually could be used up to the limit each year to finance his plan.

The settlement of the pension dispute which touched off a six-week work stoppage, was based on $100 a month for miners 62 years old and with 20 years' service who retired after the first pension plan went into effect May 29, 1946.

Lewis has suggested that at least $20,000,000 should be set aside out of the ten cent tonnage royalty collections for pensions. The contract, which expires next June 30, required that the royalty be used for other benefits such as group insurance, hospitals, sickness and disability.

Ten-Ton Fur Cargo Flown From Alaska

SEATTLE, April 24 (AP) — Pure enough to supply 175 women with $175,000 worth of new coats were flown out of Alaska this week by Pan-American Airways, the airline office reported today.

The ten-ton shipment of raw fur was the largest the line has brought down from the territory. In it were 1,736 beaver pelts, and an assortment of otter, marten, weasel, mink and muskrat. Private firms and fur auctions in New York and Seattle will get the furs.

Thief Fails to Sell Owner "New" Car

PONTIAC, Mich., April 24 (AP) — A man edged up to Clifford Hickey in a Pontiac cafe and whispered a question:

"Wanna buy a car?"

Hicks was interested. What kind of car, he wanted to know. The man described it. Hicks became even more interested. He called the police who arrested the man. Then the officers recovered the car and gave it back to Hicks. It was his. It had been stolen two days earlier.

British Ideals, Discipline Receive Praise

British discipline and ideals in the spirit of St. George, were praised by Canon Michael Coleman in an address here last night.

Rev. Coleman proposed a toast on his behalf at the annual banquet of the Victoria Branch of the Royal Society of St. George in the Englandish patron saint and the birthday of William Shakespeare.

"St. George stands for disciplined lives with a heart-felt Britain sincerely when by ordinary standards she should have gone under," he said. England has produced many great men in history, and among them Shakespeare ranks as the most outstanding poet and playwright, Dr. J. M Ewing, principal at Victoria College, told the meeting.

"Every conceivable type of English and English thought has been depicted by Shakespeare," he added in his toast, to the bard.

W. F. Ireland, provincial librarian, proposed the toast to the "Land of Our Adoption."

"Canada owes Great Britain a great deal," he said, "principally for her spiritual conviction, Parliamentary institutions, and for the pioneering of Canadian Nationhood."

Mrs. F. H. Parsons, secretary, read letters of greeting from branches in England, United States, Canada, Australia and New Zealand.

K. C. Symons, president of the branch, acted as chairman and James McGrath entertained with dramatic selections.

The Local Scene

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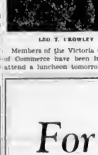
Trade Conference Delegates Begin to Arrive in Victoria

Delegates to the quarterly conference of the Pacific Northwest Trade Association started to arrive here yesterday, and business sessions will get under way tomorrow and Tuesday. They will come from all parts of the Pacific Northwest and Alaska.



LEO T. CROSLEY

Members of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce have been invited to attend a luncheon tomorrow at the

Today's Question

Answer on Page 4

What is the meaning of the name Methodist?

Empress Hotel with the delegates starting at 12.15 p.m.

Walter A. Van Camp, managing director of St. Faustina Incorporated, of St. Paul, Minn., will be the guest speaker.

At a noon luncheon at the Empress Hotel Tuesday, delegates to the convention will join with the Kiwanis Club to hear guest speaker Leo T. Crosley, chairman of the board of directors of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Pacific Railroad Company. He will speak on "International Affairs — Their Effect on the Pacific Northwest."

Mr Van Camp is recognized as one of the world's leading authorities on the showmanship of pageants. His organization functions on a year-round basis, working on celebrations and social affairs for industrial clients.

FALLS ON STAIRS

L. Brooks, Clark Road, Saanich, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday with a possible concussion when he fell down a flight of basement stairs.

Brooks was taken to hospital by Saanich Police. Attending were Sgt. Cecil Pearce, Sgt. Eric Flewin and Constable Robert Adrian.

GO TO JAIL

James McKay and Earl Tighe each were sentenced to serve 15 days in jail by Magistrate Bazett Wood in city police court yesterday morning when found guilty on vagrancy charges.

Tighe's case was in Constable James Calwell.

TO NAME OFFICERS

Election of officers and re-organization plans head the agenda for a monthly meeting of the Victoria Senior Citizens' Campaign Council, to be held Tuesday at Prince Robert House at 8 p.m. The group was formerly known as the Old Age Pensioners' Campaign Council.

KIPLING SOCIETY

Members of the Kipling Society will hold their regular monthly meeting at Prince Robert House on Tuesday night at 8. Visitors will be welcomed.

FORWARD PROTEST

Resentment toward the manner in which the Government is handling matters pertaining to veterans' affairs has been expressed in a communication forwarded to the Minister of Veterans' Affairs, Ottawa, by the Victoria branch of the Canadian Pensioners' Association of the Great Wars.

Members of the local group met Friday at headquarters in the Pemberton Building.

Cloverdale Juvenile Operetta Features Fairies and Elves

Tiny, white-clad fairies with glittering wings and red elves were principal characters in "Jack Frost's Number of Fairyland," a juvenile operetta in three acts presented Friday in the auditorium at Cloverdale School.

Program was produced by Miss Mildred E. Duncan with orchestra under the direction of Miss Kathleen Horner.

Children taking part included David Ridout, Harvey Carter, Margaret Freeman, Billy Farrow, Wally Harvey, Dinah Kerr, Yvonne Whitbread, Margaret Trandwell, Yvonne Sparkes, Mary Fletcher, Glenn Hunnings, Joanne Dawson, Gene Dispenza, Donald Cooley, Holly Francis, Marilyn Winterburn, Ken Cranwell and Melvin Smith.

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Royal Anniversary

"It will be 25 years tomorrow since the then Duke of York led to the altar at Westminster Abbey the gracious lady whom all the world now knows as Queen Elizabeth. These have been grave years, full of change and strife and significant happening, whose impact has been felt by none more than the Royal couple who will celebrate their silver wedding anniversary. In its personal sense the occasion will be for Their Majesties a family affair like that of all their subjects who attain this domestic milestone. In its wider aspect the anniversary belongs to the people over whom they have reigned these past eleven years.

"The British monarchy, as John Buchan points out in "The King's Grace," is unique in history. He goes on: "It is the glue around which cohere the nation's sense of continuing personality. In any deep stirring of the heart the people turn from the mechanism of government, which is their own handiwork and their servant, to that ancient, abiding thing behind government which they feel to be the symbol of their past achievement and their future hope."

The Throne has altered with the years, adapting itself more closely with the lives and interests of the citizen. Its dignity has not declined but affection has been joined to reverence. This was never better illustrated than by the devotion felt by all the widespread British Commonwealth towards the present King and his Consort. The war-torn years with their sharing of common sacrifice illuminated anew the kinship that exists between the British Crown and its peoples.

Above all, perhaps, is the knowledge that in sharing with Their Majesties this felicitous occasion British folk everywhere sense the tie that binds them together, the human joy that a happy home has been sustained and blessed by Providence to reach this memorable anniversary. With vivid memories of the Royal visit here nine years ago still in Canadian minds, the good wishes that will go forth from this country tomorrow to mark this special occasion will bear the warmth and genuine feeling of a people to whom their King and Queen mean much. Long may they be spared to reach even more memorable dates on the wedding calendar.

New Tourist Bureau

In a commendable effort to provide a more suitable and centrally located tourist bureau building, the Victoria Rotary Club has undertaken to raise in speedy fashion the sum of $15,000. No general canvass is being undertaken, although all donations will naturally be gratefully received. The project has to be redone so as to be in operation before the tourist season opens, and that means that the building must be erected in a matter of weeks. With the vigor and enterprise of club members behind the effort one does not doubt the success of the undertaking.

Of the need for a new building, sited at a more convenient spot, most Victorians are familiar. The present office in the Chamber of Commerce building is no longer appropriate for the purpose. Last year no fewer than 30,000 visitors were forced to climb a steep flight of stairs in order to obtain bureau service, a poor advertisement for the tourist amenities of this city. The new publicity bureau will be located at the north end of the Causeway, in a structure specially designed to offer efficient and prompt service to all the countless visitors to this city.

The value of proper tourist information may be appreciated from the fact that half a-million visitors came to Vancouver Island last year, with the larger proportion reaching this city. It is estimated that several millions of dollars were spent in Victoria by them, with all the benefit to local revenues that that entails. A proper reception and information centre for their convenience is therefore both a courtesy and a necessity, and this the Rotary Club has set out to provide. The project deserves the support of all those most interested in the tourist trade, and of citizens generally throughout the city and its environs.

Belongs to Universe

The past week was notable for two memorable celebrations in the mother city of England. April the 23rd was the 600th anniversary of St. George's Day, marked by the Royal installation of new members of the Order of the Garter, which is associated with St. George's name, and it was also the birthday of William Shakespeare, who was born in Stratford-on-Avon 384 years ago. To the world at large the latter probably would have the greater emphasis, since while St. George is dear to the hearts of Englishmen, Shakespeare belongs to the universe.

It may well be asked why this man, so obscure in his own generation, and much of whose work is still little studied and understood by the man of mankind, has so wide a popularity? In one way it is Shakespeare's misfortune to have far more admirers than readers. The reason for this is to be found in the form in which his work is cast. It is so much easier for the average person to read "The Village Blacksmith" or "The Charge of the Light Brigade" than to plough through Hamlet, or to dip any of Shakespeare's songs convey the nostalgic charm of "Auld Lang Syne." The lyric has thus decided advantage over the dramatic poet.

It is in the drama that Shakespeare is the world's acknowledged master. His popularity arises largely from the thousands of quotable aphorisms, apt descriptions and observations of his characters. Moreover, he has held up the mirror to life in many forms as no other writer ever has. As Dr. Johnson observed: "Each phase of many colored life he drew, exhausted worlds and then imagined new."

Shakespeare is a marvel of exact statement. He uses not one word too many or too few, and it is impossible to improve one of his words by substituting another. His characters range through vast diversity from "A tiger wrapped up in a woman's skin," to the tender Cordelia from whose eyes fell tears "like pearls from diamonds dropped." He can pass from the grandeur of "cloud-capped towers and gorgeous palaces," to the homely simile of "deep that knits up the ravelled sleeve of care." In short, he has given us a word for every occasion, and because he has provided men with so many handles for their thoughts he is immortalized in universal admiration.

By Air to Canada

The plan to fly 10,000 Britons to Canada is one way of taking advantage of alternative means of travel in view of the reported lack of shipping space for the number of immigrants who are anxious to make Canada their new home. This was a policy frowned on by Dominion authorities when the Ontario Government initiated such an aerial project some time ago, but second thoughts have apparently enhanced its merits.

Under the proposals announced by the acting Minister of Resources, Trans-Canada Air Lines will start the ferry of the Flying Britons early next month, bringing 40 prospective new citizens to this country. Thereafter approximately 900 air passengers will be brought over each month during the ferry year. Special immigration arrangements will be made in the United Kingdom to facilitate their departure. This is all to the good. Speedy action is desirable to take advantage of the large waiting list of immigrants now on record with Canadian officials overseas. The air as well as the sea provides a medium that should be utilized to the full.

It is also stated that Canada will accept an additional 10,000 displaced European persons, thus making 30,000 the number which the Dominion has agreed to absorb as its contribution to the solution of this problem. From a humanitarian aspect the measures will be generally acceptable, and from the standpoint of immigration itself this country should be well able to take care of such a number. Canada is so large that it will be many a day yet before it is in the danger of admitting too many settlers.

Fairly Close

In view of the imperfections of man his creation of a time medium that is only 26 seconds wrong out of a total of 365 days must be something to his credit. It brings accuracy fairly close, sufficiently so to account for lack of general interest in proposals to change the calendar. This minor error accumulates, but since it will be nearly 3,000 years yet before the inaccuracy amounts to one full day it does not provide much reason for apprehension. A world calendar of 12 equal months introduces another element into the time picture, of course, although it seems apparent man is not too reluctant to attempt further improvement in his daily use of this instrument of measurement.

Seen in Passing

The exhibit of rustic furniture now on display in the rotunda of the Parliament Buildings is an object lesson in what can be done with our native woods with the use of quite simple tools. Those tables and chairs would not disgrace the grandest home. They are a challenge to the native craftsmanship of those who find pardonable pride in personally producing such finished products from Nature's crude materials. It is the skill of the pioneer reproduced in a mechanical age.

Regret

Each in his secret heart purchance doth own
Some fond regret, 'neath passing smiles concealed:—
Sufferers alike together and alone
Are we, with many a grief to others known,
How many unrevealed!

Alas! for natural tears and simple pains,
Fore recollections cherished long,
For guileless griefs, which no compunction stains,
We blush, as if we were these early chains
Only for sport and song!

Yes, my blest hours have fled without a trace:
In vain I strove their departing to delay;
Brightly they beamed, then left a cheerless place
Like an o'erclouded smile, that in the face
Lightens, and fades away.

(VICTOR HUGO.

(From, "Oui, le bonheur vite a passe")

But heeding joy in ever on the wing
(MILTON

The last act crowns the play.—QUARLES.

The Third Column

By TOM TAYLOR

"ANZAC DAY"

As a correspondent on this page today notes with regret, the 30th anniversary date of the epic Gallipoli campaign, quite so many Britons and Canadians, who fought there so fateful morning 32 years ago, but April 25, 1915, has become partially dimmed.

The reason is not hard to seek. Just as it was Vimy that made Canadians realize that a nation was born, Armageddon proved to all Canada and Australia a generation later—as it was to become for New Zealand and Gallipoli.

Ever since then "Anzac Day"—the word Anzac was coined from the initials of the Australian and New Zealand Army Corps which took curtain—has been specially celebrated down Under and wherever those sister Dominions have representatives. In some parts of Canada limited observances will also mark the occasion.

Gallipoli is an old story now of course. Only those who have personal recollections of that endeavour are likely to find it, vying in their memories with more recent and equally stirring memories.

Strangely enough, the World War saved all round Gallipoli from being in its peace. The Allied cemeteries at Mudros and Suvla remained undisturbed, a minor memorial in a universal holocaust for which to be thankful.

COLD REFERENCE

The history books record the Dardanelles campaign as a failure, but then history is a cold reference in retrospect. Those who spent days and nights of long ago are monuments of glory to those whose names are to be found in lists in many a Cenotaph today.

All over Australia and New Zealand, and in the odd corner of Canada and in obscure places of the globe, there will be many minds fly back as they live over early war memories, and again these strenuous scenes will stalk forth.

There will be much to think about. There will be much to remember. On Anzac Babe, the lonely 600-foot hump that towers down on the Gulf of Saros it was their goal, and while it was only six miles distant it was a terrible journey. Or about the River Clyde, the "Trojan Horse" that disgorged from its hold warriors like unto the fabled heroes of Troy across the bay. Or perhaps of Cape Helles, which cleft in two an arid beachhead and is now peopled with ghosts of men who valiantly gave their lives there in the night.

And then, because nothing years can obscure with a rosy nostalgia, there will be happier memories. The memories of those who had the chance to leave that pestiferous peninsula, will be forever. There will be nights of longing to return; to walk with the kind of affection that only a war veteran understands, the ground around that forever is hallowed to himself.

THE LEAVEN

There will be recollection of the humor and friendship that leavened the weary hours. There will be some it will be the bathing and the rusty spikes of "Y" Beach, or the rugged mountains where snowy shells splattered the waters of Puinlar Beach. Or maybe the Sandy Island that stuck from the wall of a trench, really for the morning shaky chin. Remember the sandy fly that as they passed, For one, at least, knew the Turkish sentiment, for he was scrambled in pitch dark over a parapet and fell on top of a sleeping Turk.

Many scenes will pass in review. The Dardanelle ships at sunset, their bright lights reminiscent of home, remembered well, when that bright price could be had to slake unbearable thirst, the Queen Elizabeth, heavy to lift her skirt of composition threatened her gleaming steel sides. Hospital ships, the Gloucester Castle hospital beds; the stars that spill the sky with fire the night they arrived in the Gulf, but also sorry. Morte Bay, where moments of peace, and there was be the mockery it was.

A WRY WONDER

Or, perchance, a lightning mental back stage, the film that had prevented from its Argonn to the Dardanelles, less than four miles in length, and yet it took one summer to it. And perhaps a wry wonder that for the full service should be worth six shillings a day, and on the right only twopence-halfpenny.

A picturesque assortment it was that marched or strolled or limped from towards Kantara, Sinai, that marines reached a month before the landing. Not without by that time we looked behind an impenetrable century curtain. There were the Indians, Sikhs, Punjabis and men from Edinburgh, Lancashire lads and lost-country soldiers, Pathans and New Zealanders, and a host of others.

They came, as John Masefield says: across three thousand miles of sea, a little army shaken by nerves and short of munitions, a band of brothers, not the half of them half-trained, and nearly all of them new to war.

They did not win. The record says otherwise. But another record, that of the bravery, the hope that they will review the years, is surely what should round the most.

A WARM WELCOME

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Attlee has sent a special welcoming message to those visiting Britain to participate in the Olympics. He wrote: "We shall be happy once again to be the hosts of the Olympic Games . . . What we may temporarily lack in comfort and luxuries we shall try to make up in the warmth of welcome . . .

Observation Car

By G.B.

Many a young man finds that the most serious impediments to marriage is the increasing difficulty of finding a side and one Dominion and Provincial Governments on one small pay cheque. Barber has interviewed a customer with a rambling story of his childhood, including the delight he experienced in doing good deeds. I suppose the principal hero of the story is the customer inquired. "Oh, no. It was over the barber's razor. He was interjected. While describing an acquaintance of the family, MP, the Bread Beat barber, told the shop in general: "She is so talkative that the poor man has developed lazy tongue?" More noise than skill was in evidence at the Heywood Avenue grounds when a group of teen-age boys gathered for baseball practice last week. A youth on the sidelines shouted at a pitcher: "Hey, wear your glasses. Not to be outdone, another boy yelled: "He doesn't need a fast glasses." While visiting some friends, the Reading Square showed interest when the lady of the family brought a long thermometer. Asked the hostess to test the baby bath water: "We had nothing like that when I was a child, the inquire observed. "They used to dip in the tub. If the water was too cold, we turned blue, and if it was too hot we merely turned red." When approaching a blacksmith shop on Herald Street a boy, aged about four years, broke away from his mother to gazes the mail the door. He rushed back to her side and exclaimed: "Mummy, that man in there is making a horse. I just saw him nailing one on!" According to Tobacconist Martin, John Bull, the boy, lost his dinner and take the rest out of restaurant.

Today's Answer

Question on Page 3

It means "the place of oil" or smelting of oil. The story goes that a whale stranded there was cut up by the Indians for its blubber and oil. The place and the Indians were said to have been odiferous for a long time thereafter.

Tides at Victoria

April

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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th meridian, which is the standard for all British Columbia south of the 52nd parallel. The Daylight Saving zone is one hour later than the Pacific Standard. Where Daylight Saving is in effect, the time should be advanced one hour. Predictions during the year assume that persists without turning.

Victoria in Beard and Crinoline

From Files of The Daily British Colonist for April, 1861

By G. E. MORTIMORE

People are always eager for bad news—providing it concerns somebody else. The record of crime invariably top the day's bill-of-fare.

This principle held true in colonial days as much as it does now, and although practically all the news was hard quite as large a variety of type faces to about the tables of state, there did be a fairly good job with what they had.

According to a statement issued in the Daily British Colonist, old Victoria must have been a sink of iniquities. Some of the delinquents, at any rate, had the laudable ambition of enjoying a "good time" off the proceeds of the state of the jackets.

All those were ordinary crimes, but another robbery listed discovered of 33 ounces. They were stolen from a Chinaman, who was in the hospital for medical treatment.

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Britain and the Air Speed Record

By RONALD WALKER
Aviation Editor, London Evening Standard

North American Newspaper Alliance
LONDON, April 24.—(By Cable)—Although the United States holds the world's airplane speed record—by a jet-powered craft at 650 m.p.h.—chances are at least fair that Britain will regain the crown. Reports from the United Kingdom record a bright record from Italy when Group Captain John Cunningham took a Vampire fighter up to 59,492 feet. The distance record is held by the United States for the 1946 flight of a Lockheed Neptune from Perth, Western Australia, to Columbus, Ohio—a distance of 11,543 miles. Britain has hopes of regaining this title, too.

The Ministry of Supply has repeatedly stated that an official application has been made to try to regain the record for a British speed attempt is contemplated. This does not mean that the first last aircraft that comes to hand is to be flung into the sky. To beat the United States record it will take a lot of power and a fast, clean design, to say nothing of skilled piloting.

The British program is ambitious. The intention is to aim high, or rather, fast. To be really worth while the record speed must be pushed up by a wide margin. It is hoped that this margin will be about 100 m.p.h., which would bring the record to within 50 to 60 m.p.h. of the speed of sound at low altitudes.

"Time in aircraft making the new speed bid will be flying in the approaches to the sonic barrier which is an indication that future speed records exceeding the speed of sound will be at least in sight.

It is British practice that attacks on flying records should be made with standard types of aircraft actually in service rather than experimental machines, especially built for the job. The speed record was first brought up into the 600 m.p.h. standard by Gloster Meteor JD7 fighters of the R.A.F. For the new attempt on the speed record the choice is limited as the field of jet aircraft design is necessarily experimental and hypothetical. The First candidate for the coming attempt is the De Havilland 108 tailless machine, sometimes called the Swallow. However, the Government has decided that the next British attempt on the record must be made until the nation is ready for it. The reason is that no reason no doubtful starters will be tried. But several new and experimental types of fast jet machines will be considered during the coming months, the first being the Swallow. They include the new version of the supersonic attacker fighter and others of the new types have swept-back wings or are unorthodox in design.

It is probable that the next British attempt on the speed record will be made at Khartoum, where the Ministry of Supply has an experimental station. There are the requirements of heat and clear air can be met.

The true speed of these very high-speed aircraft varies with temperature. Cooler air will cut down the speed, producing the apparently impossible paradox of the aircraft flying faster to go slower. For this reason suggestions are being made that the international rules governing the speed record should be altered to two important respects. Second, to permit the pilots to fly at a greater altitude so long as it is possible to time the speed run. Second, to require that the aircraft of all nationalities be required to compete at the same place so that they shall have the advantages and disadvantages of identical weather conditions.

Letters to the Editor

We invite to the editor will be received only over the writer's signature and address. This rule stands if no alternative. No letter should exceed 300 words in length. Unsolicited letters may be edited.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

Sir,—Referring to Miss Craven's plea for the abolition of capital punishment, quoted by Mr. C. G. Bateman in his letter, the meaning of "unnecessary suffering for innocent people" should surely be applied to the murderer's victim and his bereaved relatives and friends. Surely misplaced sympathy I find revolting.

EDWARD MOORE.

437 Kerr Avenue, Victoria, B.C.
April 23, 1948.

GALLIPOLI CAMPAIGN

Sir,—On April 25, 33 years ago, Australian and Empire troops stormed ashore in the heroic and hopeless attempt to force the Dardanelles and open up a new front to attack Germany and her allies in their rear. However brilliant the strategy, or important in its effects upon the duration of the war, the attack failed in its main purpose, but not through any fault of the fighters. After eight months of hard struggle ending in stalemate, the troops were withdrawn and Sinai was written to a gallant and glorious chapter in history.

It is interesting to recall that the man who was chiefly responsible for the plan, and who retired from office when it failed, is the same man who had Britain through her darkest hours in her latest war to find complete victory in arms, but also peace. And again he sits in the shade when his purpose was not concentrated, biding the call of fate.

Few Canadians took part in the Gallipoli campaign, and to us it is but more than a dry fact in a dusty book, but to many in Britain, and to all Australians, it is a living and glorious example of men at their best, showing courage and sacrifice, which still lights up the lives of those whom they served so well.

We do well to honor them now and to pay back some of the debt to them. For it was not for themselves alone, nor for their countries alone that they gave so much, but for us, too, who took no part in the fight.

R. HOOD.

1236 Douglas Street, Victoria, B.C.
April 22, 1948.

FOLLYANNA BOOKS

Sir,—The Parent-Teacher Federation would like to correct an impression that they have listed the Girls' Tarzan and Follyanna books as undesirable reading.

At our recent convention, the Vancouver Public Library co-operated with us in arranging a display of desirable and undesirable reading for children. The Library showed two kinds of children's books, as well as suitable magazines. They also submitted a group of light books, with the purpose of showing parents the type which are popular with the boys and girls. The Girls' Department of the Library also had Follyanna, Tarzan and Pollyanna books.

The Parent-Teacher Federation regrets that publicity was given by the press—to these books, rather than to the more meaningful and undesirable crime comics.

MRS. T. W. A. GLEANOR GRAY
(Member of Provincial Committee)
1748 Rockland Avenue, Victoria, B.C., April 18, 1948.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of April 26, 1923)

Final for Parade—Because only have a place in the Maritime Provincial Parade, council of the municipality decided last night. It might not cost more than $125. Thereupon it was moved by the receipt of a letter from Mayor Hayward of Victoria asking Saanich to have representation.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of April 25, 1898)

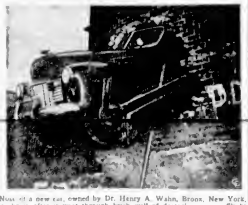
House Deserted—While the owner was absent from his home last night, a fire of unknown origin started and soon swept through the wooden structure, leaving only the chimney standing. The owner was in a state of agony, as he had just purchased and paid for his house yesterday. The house cost him $2,000 and he had estimated that his furniture was worth about $600.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of April 26, 1873)

Marine Hospital—Orders have been received to proceed with the work at once. It will be put up on the Indian Reserve, and we are glad to know that the land required for this purpose will be duly compensated to the Indians by the Government. It appears to be the only way by which a difficulty with the tribe will be avoided.

Slight Miscalculation



Nose of a new car, owned by Dr. Henry A. Wahn, Bronx, New York, is shown where it went through brick wall of doctor's garage. Slight miscalculation was made by Dr. Wahn's 17-year-old daughter, Mary Ann, who was teaching herself to drive. Nobody was hurt, but garage will need major operation

Sweden's Social Democratic Party Launches Drive Against Communists

STOCKHOLM, April 24 (AP) —How can the Communists be beaten their tactics exposed and their threat reduced to naught? Sweden's Social Democratic Labor Party thinks it has the answer.

The situation in Sweden, where the Communist Party never once has been forbidden during the 30 years of its existence, may well be Europe's.

Sweden's Communist Party, after a decided slump in 1940, made its strongest strike forward in the Parliamentary elections in 1944. They received 215,000 of 3,003,000 votes and increased their deputies from three to 15 in the 230-member Lower House. They also placed two deputies in the 105-member Upper House.

This striking gain runs parallel to the ups and downs of Russia's international good will. In 1940, after her attack on Finland, Russia was very unpopular in Sweden. It was only declared in Parliament that the Communist Party was "not in the ordinary sense a political party, but a part of an international organization under Russian control."

In 1944, Russia had gained great good will because of her fight against Nazi Germany.

There was another reason for the Communist gains in the 1944 elections. The Social Democratic Party had formed a National Coalition Government with all parties except the Communists. Workers complaining over the freezing of wages and wartime scarcities found no way of voicing their dissatisfaction except by voting with the Communists. Now, Social Democrats say, is the time to win back these workers. To this end the fight against the Communists is being concentrated into a Spring campaign.

The campaign is conducted with public debates, intended to expose Communist tactics and the avowed intention of Sweden's Communists to reach the same goal as in Czechoslovakia.

Paul Bjoerk "labor secretary" of the Social Democratic Labor Party and central organizer of the Spring campaign, said the unmasking of the Communists should start at the very place where they gain their first foothold—in the land unions.

"No party is as well organized and as strongly disciplined and trained for infiltration activities as the Communists," Bjoerk said. Besides the Communists have a mobile cadre of workers, able to move from one shop to another in advance of important political or union elections. The development of such "task forces" has been facilitated by the lack of skilled labor, especially in the metal industries.

Outside the labor movement, Communists are trying to infiltrate today for week-by-week no-operation in the Co-operative Societies, the Workers' Educational League, the Tenants' Savings and Building Association and other organizations. The time of Communist coups in Sweden, also to move from one shop to another in advance of important political or union elections. The development of such "task forces" has been facilitated by the lack of skilled labor, especially in the metal industries.

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Western Bloc Makes Plans For Operation

LONDON, April 24 (AP)—Western Europe's five-power alliance set up today in Brussels, Belgium, Netherlands and Luxembourg toward a treaty-forming itself reminiscent of a military pact pledges into a working organization to check the spread of Communism.

The decision to meet weekly rather than monthly as at first planned, reflected a common concern over European developments.

At its first meeting the administrative committee named Gladwyn Jebb of Britain as chairman for the first three months. E. Star Busmann, consular at the Dutch Embassy in Paris, was appointed secretary.

A decision on inviting Italy to join the alliance was shunted aside temporarily. A big bad been anticipated on the strength of the recent Italian voters gave Communists on the electoral last Sunday and Monday. The invitation to Italy now is expected to come shortly after a new Italian Government is formed May 10.

With this invitation may come a move on the part of the Western powers to ease the terms of the Italian peace treaty, which sharply curtails Italy's defensive strength.

GUEST SPEAKER

Mrs. Dorothy Abraham will speak on "Health and Healing" at a public meeting to be held in May under the sponsorship of the Victoria Branch, Canadian Anti-Vivisection Society.

Proceeds from the Spring tea of the organization, to amounting to $100, and part of this local will be sent to the various branch societies.

Reports From U.S. Air Bases Show Lack of Proper Defence

MUNICH, April 24 (NANA) — Stated to attack, five American air force bases in Bavaria—the first zone of U.S. European Continental defences—lack the rudiments of ordinary defence. Because of this, a new and more terrible Pearl Harbor is in the making, with the lives of Americans and loyal allies at stake.

From border to border of the American occupation zone of Germany, lying between the Iron Curtain and the ramparts of virtually impotent France, are five major air bases in Bavaria. They are the bomber base at Furstenfeldbruck, the fighter base at Neubberg, outside Munich, the fighter base at Oberpfaffenhoden, the Munich air base at Riem, which shortly is to become a commercial field, and the Erding air depot, a general utility field.

OLD EQUIPMENT

These five bases are protected by old, inadequate portable radar outfits which, to quote a grizzled sergeant operating one outfit, "wouldn't help you find your elbow by moonlight." Competent equipment is utterly lacking, close inspection reveals. There is no very-high-frequency inter-field communications, no anti-aircraft, and no on-field machine-gun protection, a mile-by-mile inspection of this critical area shows.

The colonel commanding one base said: "If we are attacked, I hope for two hours' notice. I will be lucky if I get 20 minutes. It will take four hours to get my planes into the air, if we have no accidents. I am wide open to attack."

"I have adequate plans armament," this officer continued, "I have machine-gun ammunition and bombs of all conventional types within call, but my command's planes lie out there in a solid rank, wing to wing, waiting like clay targets for the pass of some crazy one-man air force to knock me out of action."

RISKY SITUATION

On this field alone, $2,000,000 worth of American aircraft are "stacked" on a straight runway, lined up with the precision of a geometric pattern, where one attack plane's single pass with a single, stray incert bullet would set afire close to 200,000 gallons of high-octane gasoline and isolate nearly 2,000 Americans. There are no dispersal arrangements. There are no local defences.

The colonel operates the base on which the USAFE predicates its only bomber strength in Europe today. It is a field designed by Hermann Goering, dead Nazi chieftain, whose concept of aerial warfare died with Rickthofen 30 years ago when air flights were simply joints of cavaliers.

USAFE is moving the personal equipment of U.S. Berlin dependents out by plane. Fifteen plane-loads of personal belongings of American civilian employes who are subject to transfer are being moved daily from the Berlin area.

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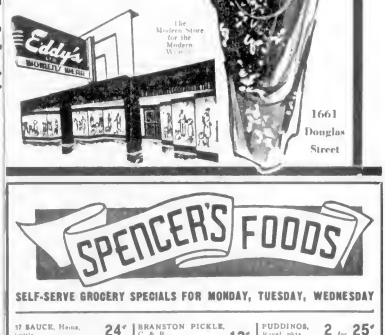

The Modest Store for the Modern Miss

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...Oddities...

BUFFALO, April 24 (AP) —Railed for speeding a young man explained his June wedding plans might hinge on that vacant apartment he had just heard about.

"Go ahead, but take it easy," Motorcycle Patrolman Walter J. Swift told him.

LOS ANGELES, April 24 (AP). — Miss Mildred Peck, secretary to a city councilman, always felt that her car was safe in the city hall garage. It's situated underneath the police station and there are always a lot of police cars around.

But yesterday someone drove her new red coupe out of the garage in such a hurry it nearly bowled over an attendant. Police admitted it was stolen right from under their feet.

LOS ANGELES, April 24 (AP) — Larry Hetzler wouldn't believe police when they told him his car had been stolen.

"My dog would have waked me," he said.

"The dog's with the car," an officer told him.

"Then my friend who lives at the back of my lot would have heard it and waked me," said Hetzler.

The friend, police said, was also with the car. Thieves, Artie, police had picked him up as the thief.

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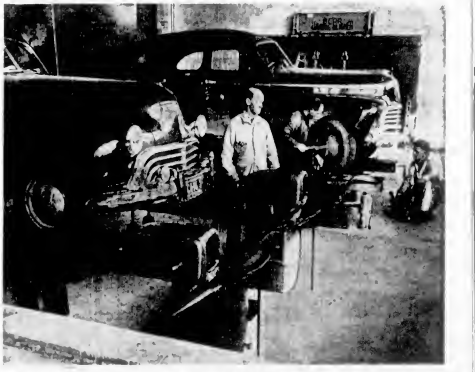

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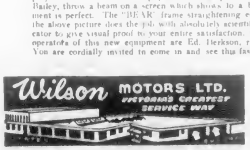

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MR. and Mrs. John Edward Wolfenden are pictured as they left the chapel at H.M.C.S. Naden yesterday afternoon following their marriage, at which Padre Lee Gilliard, of Ottawa, officiated.

The bride, Eula Winnifred Ledingham, is the daughter of Mrs. George Ledingham of Vancouver and Bakersfield, California, and recently retired as director of nursing service for Canadian Navy. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wolfenden of Vancouver and a grandson of the late Col. Richard H.M.C.S. Andrew and Lt.-Cmdr. Wolfenden. During the war he R. C. Chenoweth, M.B.E., R.C.N., served as a lieutenant-commander and Lieut. J. Bugden, R.C.N. acted as usher.

and was captain of H.M.C.S. Antigonish for some time prior to his retirement from the active navy.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the wardroom at H.M.C.S. Naden where Padre Lee Gilliard proposed the toast to the bride.

The bride who was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Bruce Ledingham of Vancouver, was attended by Lieut. (N.S.) Anna Chalmers of Montreal.

For a motor trip through the Southern States, the bride traveled in a three-piece aqua suit, model and Mrs Wolfenden will make their home in Vancouver.

LL.-Cmdr. Harry MacDonald of H.M.C.S. Naden supported the groom while Cmdr O. S. C. Robertson, captain of H.M.C.S. Cornwallis, and Mrs Wolfenden will be LL.-Cmdr. C. A. Law, engineer officer of Queen's University and later a governor and benefactor of McGill.

Altrusa Club Banquet Tonight

The Altrusa International Club is holding an organization banquet in the Princess Louise room, Empress Hotel this evening. Officers of the new club are Mrs. Ethel Donaldson, president; Miss Lyn Pikatchey, vice-president; Miss Margaret Gardner, secretary; Mrs. B. O. Taylor, treasurer; Miss Marjorie Hazelwood, Miss Eva Wilson and Mrs. Peggy Bartholomew, directors.

Mrs. Stafford D. Plank, vice-president, Vancouver, Altrusa Club, who made initial arrangements during a two-week visit in Victoria in March, will act as presiding officer and will speak briefly to the gathering. Representatives of the Vancouver Club will accompany Mrs. Plank.

The Altrusa Club, comparable to the men's Rotary Club, has a membership of more than 8,000 businessmen and professional women in 325 clubs situated in the United States, Canada, Guatemala, Mexico, Porto Rico, Argentina and the British Isles.

Charming Bride

—Pun-Cove-Marshall.

Mrs. David H. Grant posed for this charming picture following her wedding which took place at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church recently. Mrs. Grant is the former Elisabeth Hunter Dempsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dempsey, 3708 Tennyson Road, while the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Grant, 236 Richmond Road.

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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross have left for Vancouver to attend the Canadian Jewelers' convention.

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Hon. J. A. Glen, Minister of Mines, and Mrs. Glen, of Ottawa, are guests at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel.

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Mrs. Gordon Cameron has returned to her home on Runnymede Avenue after visiting her niece, Mrs. Kenneth Beaton, in Vancouver during the past week.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Fraser have moved to Kelowna at the first of the month. Will make their home at "Idleford Ranch," Okanagan Mission, where they move to on May 1.

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Mr. A. J. Reid, Oakmount Road, will leave the city on Tuesday en route to Montreal, where she will sail on May 1 aboard the liner Empress of Canada for an extended visit in England and Wales.

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Miss Nina Wilson came from Vancouver to attend the marriage of her niece, Miss Dorothy Banning to Mr. Donald Albert Bysteed, on Friday evening and is staying with her sister, Mrs. Ronna Banning, 837 Oliver Street.

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Robert Lindgren of Victoria sailed Wednesday from New York aboard the Queen Mary for London, where he will be guest premier danseur for the summer season with the Metropolitan Ballet. He will return to the Ballet Russe de Monte de Carlo in September.

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Miss Stella Topp-Turner, who has been spending the winter in Victoria as the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. F. Topp-Turner, Admiral Road, left recently for her home at Halifax, N.S. Enroute her journey at several points, she is paying short visits in Vancouver, Winnipeg, Toronto and Montreal.

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Out-of-town guests at the Davies-Cathcart nuptials last evening at St. John's Church were Dr. and Mrs. Fred Blandity, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairfax, Mr. Walter and Mr. Barry Fairfax, all of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McKinnon, Chemainus, Mrs. D. Van Ness, Miss Lucille Davies, Mr. J. Davies, Mr. D. Davies, all of Vancouver.

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Mrs. J. E. Lundy, 1701 Hollywood Crescent, entertained at the tea hour on Friday in honor of Mrs. Clyde MacDonald and Mrs. J. B. Little of Edmonton. Mrs. R. F. Cornell, Mrs. Colin Campbell and Miss E. M. Stewart assisted the hostess to serve tea. Mrs. MacDonald is en route to California to attend the wedding of her grandson, while Mrs. Little is spending a month at the Empress Hotel.

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Miss Anna Dickinson and Miss Barbara Pope will be hostesses during the tea hour at the Empress Hotel this afternoon in honor of Miss Joan Pope, who is leaving shortly for a visit to California. Invited guests include Mrs. E. W. Pope, Mrs. R. H. Dickinson, Mrs. M. Cowden, Mrs. K. T. Hughes, Jr., Mrs. C. E. Holloway, Mrs. F. R. Smith, Miss M. Thorp, Miss Marilyn Stewart, Miss Robin Greaves, Miss Lee Bailey, Miss Garry Kennedy and Miss Nora Garcia.

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Miss Norah Johnson was the guest of honor when Mrs. Harold Lacey entertained at a miscellaneous shower at her home on Oak Bay Road on Thursday evening. Upon arrival the bride-elect was presented with a Colonial bouquet by Merilyn Lacey. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. C. L. Smith and Mrs. Merritt Lacey. Mrs. H. Thurber and Mrs. J. Smith. Other guests were Mrs. W. Griffin, Mrs. J. Jolliffe, Mrs P. Pomeroy, Mrs W. Wray, Mrs L. Taylor, Mrs J. Sutton, Mrs. J. Gordon, Mrs. D. Hawkins, Mrs T. Chatell, Mrs R. Venne, Mrs E. Lawson, Mrs F. Lefroy, Mrs E. Lacey Sr., Mrs W. McClair, Mrs. J. H. Brooks and Miss Wendy Lacey.

Brownies Enrolled

Mrs. Ivan Ross, District Guide of Second Victoria, had pleasure in welcoming the Brownies from the Fort Victoria Pack. Parents and friends were invited to attend and the highlight of the evening came when Mrs. E. Abraham, Brown Owl, presented Brownies Lillian Houston and Barbara Hawkes with their wings.

Brownie Audrey Scott walked up to Ula Gulcos and six Brownies were welcomed into the company by patrol leaders Joan Orton and Leona Wilkinson. Following the flying up ceremony Mrs. Keith MacDonald, district commissioner, conducted an enrolment ceremony and Myrna Smith re-invested her pin. Several silver stars were presented along with a second-class badge and two proficiency badges.

Brownies and Guides played games. The evening was brought to a close around a campfire.

DONATIONS

Mrs. R. Savory presided at the April meeting of May Temple No. 34, when $25 was donated to the Conquer Cancer Fund, $15 to the local hospital and $10 to the Sanitarium. It was reported that 26 sick visits had been made and that one member is ill in a Vancouver hospital.

Envoy's Daughter, Sharman Douglas, Is Favorite of the Royal Family

By RUSSELL LANDSTROM

LONDON, April 24 (AP)—A year ago a pert and pretty teen-age girl from Canada came to London and caused hardly a flutter.

She attracts today as one of the brightest stars in the younger set and a favorite of British Royalty.

Tall, lanern Sharman Douglas, 16-year-old daughter of United States Ambassador and Mrs. Lewis Douglas, has caught on. An intimate friend of Princess Elizabeth and Margaret Rose, she has completely won over hard-to-impress Britons and other American girls have.

The Princesses apart, and maybe a film star or two, she is the most photographed girl in the land. Matchmakers have linked her name with that of the blue-blooded young scions of Mitford Haven. He has been her most frequent escort to the theatre and fashionable West End restaurants.

The Douglas family tries to scotch the rumors. Responsible embassy sources, obviously acidly backed up, say "There is not a word of truth in these reports nor in any other little-talk blabbing that Miss Douglas is engaged or about to be engaged."

Their grant she has boy friends aplenty—nothing serious in any direction, of course—but emphasize if there is a special one it's a family secret.

"If there is such a thing as a (typical American girl, free of false glamour and sophisticated airs," said a London newspaper editor recently, "we think Sharman fits the description."

CHUMMY WITH PRINCESSES

Clearly, the Royal Family sized her up in that way, too. That Sharman is the only girl met of the royal circle who is on a chummy footing with the Princesses is a dead give-away of palace sentiment toward her. With Elizabeth, Prince Philip and Margaret Rose she has been to the theatre, and backstage, also, mingling unselfconsciously with excited artists.

Precisely what the Royal Family thinks of Sharman is its own private business. But there can be no doubt that it is amused. Her way of putting things makes the King laugh. The Queen likes her frank, open American quality. The Duchess of Kent was overheard to say, "A sweet child—and unspoiled." The young daughters of the House of Windsor are fond of her, of course, because leaving out the differences in upbringing, she is a good deal like themselves.

New York-born Sharman landed here fresh from a year in Vassar College which she attends six hours daily, accepting two days when a tutor lectures her at home.

Sharman's father is a native of Georgia, but her grandfather was a great-grandfather both were Canadian-born. The latter, Dr James Douglas, was at one time chancellor of Queen's University and later a governor and benefactor of McGill. Ambassador Douglas, before returning to the United States for the war years, was principal of McGill from October, 1937, until June, 1939.

Former Victorian Visiting Here

—Colonist Photo

MRS. Ray McGregor of Montreal, left with her two daughters, Lynn, aged two and a half, and Gail, one and a half years, to the west to spend a week at Qualicum Beach before flying back to Montreal in May.

Mrs. McGregor accompanied by her daughters will leave at the end of the week to spend a week at Qualicum Beach before flying back to Montreal in May.

Norfolk House Old Girls Realize $250

The sum of $250, which will go toward the Helen Riach Memorial Fund, was realized at a bazaar by Norfolk House School yesterday afternoon, under the auspices of the Old Girls' Association.

During the afternoon a program of entertainment was presented and tea was served with both pupils and old girls assisting. Mrs L. R. Williams and Mrs John Rockingham were in charge of the arrangements.

Successful Tea At St. Ann's

Under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League a successful silver tea was held at St. Ann's Academy Saturday afternoon. The tea, which was served in the seniors' recreation room, was convened by Mrs W. Powers, Mrs. W. R. Martin, Mrs. A. Lagace, and Mrs C. Mulcahy of the St. Andrew's Cathedral subdivision.

Mrs. H. A. Howard, Mrs K. T. Hughes, Mrs. Roderick Smith and Mrs. W. Gilbert poured at the table attractively centred with blue iris and pink snapdragons and carnations. Assisting with the serving were: Mrs. A. L. Battle, Mrs. M. Morning, Mrs. William Milligan, Miss L. McDonald, and Misses Alicia Berthelsen, Janice Waddle, Yvonne Molloy, Elaine Douglas, Betty Cross and Cecile Gaudet, senior resident students.

A sales of religious articles, candy, plants, and novelties was held in the high school cafeteria, and various exhibits were conducted by Mrs. C. A Macklin and Mrs. W. Bethel of the Esquimalt subdivision, Mrs G. Crisholm, Mrs J. A. McLellan, and Mrs Vernon Thomson of the Oak Bay subdivision, and Mrs. D. Hanley, Mrs. Lawrence Heather, and Mrs Joseph Doby of Lake Hill.

A penny carnival and ice cream and candy sale in the gymnasium was organized by the pupils of Grades 7 and 8, as a special attraction for the school children.

Mark Anniversary

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Glass, 1567 Pell Street, when their daughter, Mrs. Mark Pirazzo, entertained on the occasion of their 30th wedding anniversary. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. Dan Tonman and Mrs. Fred Westmorland and assisting with serving were Mrs. Charles Musgrave and Mrs. Homer Miller.

During the evening court whist was played and winners for the ladies prizes were Mrs. C. Musgrave and Mrs. B. Miller and for the men Mr. D. Tonman and Mr. A. Squires.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Westmorland, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tonman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Musgrave, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Squires, Mr. and Mrs. Fearon Woodburn, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barbour, Mr. and Mrs H. M. Stokes, and Miss Darlene Woodburn.

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Decorated Tables Display on Wednesday

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Trying in with the annual Spring Garden Festival will be the Decorated Tables Display, sponsored by the Jubilee Hospital, which takes place at the Empress Hotel on Wednesday from 2 to 9 p.m. Mrs. Charles A. Banks has graciously consented to present the prizes at a presentation to take place at 9:30 p.m. Mrs. Ronald Newell, Mrs. Lawrence Green with "Jerry" (Mrs. C. L. Aylard's aperial), Mrs. Stanley Haynes and Mrs. Mathew Hedley, members of the committee, are pictured in the grounds at the home of Mrs. R. F. Castle, St. Charles Street.

Viola Cathcart, Robert Davies Married at St. John's Church

St. John's Church was the scene recently of a pretty wedding on Saturday evening when Viola Mary, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cathcart, 63 Logan Avenue, exchanged vows with Robert Henry Davies, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davies 2785 Burdick Avenue. Pink snapdragons, carnations, stocks and narcissi were effectively arranged as a background for the ceremony, which was performed by Reverend George Biddle. Miss Betty Todwerd sang "Through the Years" while the register was being signed.

Entering the church with her father, who gave her away, the bride was a charming picture in a gown of slipper satin in peach-blush shade, featuring a panel of matching lace increasing in width from the sweetheart neckline to the hemline, and appearing again in the back of the bodice from shoulder to waist. The full skirt slightly an train had a peplum of shirred satin, and the sleeves tapered to lily points over the hands. Her veil held under a coronet of orange blossoms was of the same peach-blush tint. A jeweled pendant of her mother's was her only ornament and she carried a shower bouquet of roses shading from peach to deep pink tones.

Miss Peggy Woodhouse, cousin of the bride, gowned in old rose moire taffeta fashioned with off-shoulder neckline fitted bodice and bouffant skirt emphasized with panniers at the hips, was the bride's only attendant. Her open-crowned hat and long mitts were of the same material. Her arm bouquet of blue iris and pink carnations to complete her costume.

The bridegroom had Mr. Robert Cutler as best man and the ushers were Mr. Leslie Fletcher and Mr. Richard Davies, his brother.

The reception was held at the Cathcart home where the mother of the couple welcomed the guests with them. The lace-covered table lighted by tall white candles in silver holders, was centred by the three-tiered cake. Dr. Fred Blundell proposed the toast to the bride.

For a honeymoon at Harrison Hot Springs, the bride travelled in a silver grey gabardine suit with navy blue and red taffeta sailor hat, navy topcoat and accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Mr. and Mrs. Davies will make their home in Victoria.

GIRL GUIDE NOTES

On Saturday afternoon a hiking hike to Mount Douglas Beach was held by the Swallow Patrol of the 4th West Cathedral Guides. During the afternoon games were played through the surrounding park and woodland. Later supper was enjoyed around a bonfire. Patrol Leader Marguerite Gardom was in charge of her Swallow Patrol, and was accompanied by the following guide: Diana Gordon, Fiona Dewhirst and Christine Cairy.

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Clubs and Societies

Well-baby and pre-school clinic weaver of Seattle, will be the guest will be held on Monday in the lower room of Langford School from 2 30 to 3 20 p.m.

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The Club for Lonely People will meet on Wednesday at 7.30 p.m. in the Friends' Meetinghouse, 1831 Fern Street.

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The Drama Group of the Victoria Women's Institute will meet on Monday at 2:15 p.m. at the home of Mrs. C. Johns, 130 Croft Street.

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Shawnigan Lake P-TA will meet in the public school on Tuesday evening when Miss E. Miles will give a report on the recent convention held in Vancouver.

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The Canadian Daughters League Assembly No. 3, will meet in the Business and Professional Women's rooms, on Tuesday at 8 p.m. A food shower will be held for overseas relief.

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Victoria Handweavers Guild will meet on Wednesday in the library at Prince Robert House, at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. W. P. Holden, a handweaver of Seattle, will be the guest speaker.

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The Women's Auxiliary of the Lodge Primrose No 23 met in the K. of P. Hall on Friday with Mrs. A. J. Brown presiding. Reports on the rummage sale and Primrose tea were received. There will be a drill practice in the hall, on May 4, at 2 p.m.

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Mrs George Ross reported on the daffodil tea and fashion review at a recent meeting of Cordova Bay P-T.A. Mrs. H. Sampson of the teaching staff of Mount Newton High School was introduced to the members. Two pupils of Mount Douglas High School, Alan Tregear violinist and Miss Doreen Evans pianist, played selections. Mr. J. E. Brown, principal of schools, introduced Mr. Philip Kitley, director of school broadcasting over CBC, who gave an interesting talk on school radio.

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The Doreen McLeod Group of the First United Church met recently at the home of Mrs. H. B. Dawson, 10 Douglas Street, with Mrs. W. H. Lund presiding. It was decided to donate £200 to the Senior Women's Auxiliary of the church. Miss Lenna Lamb, supervisor of the nurseries at the Jubilee Hospital spoke on the nursing profession and reported interesting incidents and cases which occur in her daily routine. The next meeting will be held on May 18 at the home of Miss Shirley Walker, 2375 Weald Road.

Chemainus News

The Baptist Missionary Society met at the home of Miss Mary Robinson, where final arrangements were completed for entertainment of the Baptist Island Association meeting on May 19. Owing to customs regulations, the White Gift to India this year takes the form of cash donation or food for India.

Mrs. P. Lomas, District Commissioner Girl Guides, visited Chemainus Brownie Pack last week for the purpose of enrolling Brown Owl Mrs. M. Sandland, and Tawny Owl Mrs. E. Day, who received their warrants. Some 12 Senior Brownies wrote first class tests under guidance of Mrs. M. Jenns and her committee, while the Junior members engaged in an interesting nature hunt for various specimens. Brownie Pack leaves for the Junior Auxiliary to the Royal Brownies were also elected.

SHOWER

Miss Gwen Robinson was hostess at a surprise miscellaneous shower for Miss Shirley Johnson of the Victoria Lumber Company office staff whose marriage takes place shortly. The gifts were found by the bride-to-be at the end of an interesting travel hunt, guided by clue clues in rhyme and verse.

Mrs B McEwen presided at the April meeting of the Hospital Women's Auxiliary, when final plans for the Hospital tea and linen shower were completed for May 14. Members of the Auxiliary will assist with the Red Cross Blood Donor Clinic on May 13. Donation of three large linen tablecloths to the nurses' dining-room was acknowledged by the Auxiliary. Purchases during the month included linens, blankets and curtains to value of $178. Members reported assisting with the T.B. Clinic April 12. Donation was made to Hospital Board toward purchase of typewriter, and $25 was donated to the Conquer Cancer fund, from the Bunaloo fund. Daffodils and cigarettes were also distributed to hospital patients during the month from the Bunaloo fund.

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Leaving to Spend Six Months in England

H. Gardiner, Jubilee Studio

Mrs. N. Hall and her two children, Sonia aged three years, and Richard aged 18 months, will leave today en route to London, England, where they will spend six months' holiday. They have been guests of Mrs. E. T. Hall, Fairfield Road, for the past few days.

Dorothy Banning Weds D. Bystedt

Daffodils, plum blossoms and ferns decorated Alliance Tabernacle for the marriage on Friday evening of Dorothy May, eldest daughter of Mrs. Roma Banning, 837 Chiver Street, and the late Norman Charles Banning, to Donald Albert Bystedt, eldest son of Mr and Mrs. A. C. Bystedt, 132 South Turner Street. Mr. R. McIntyre officiated at the ceremony for which Miss Jean Wills at the piano, played the wedding music. While the register was being signed Mrs. George Hamilton sang "The Wedding Song."

The pretty bride, gowned in white satin styled with net yoke, lily point sleeves and full skirt finished with peplum and bustle-back, was given away by her uncle, Mr. A. E. Parker. Her embroidered veil was arranged under a beaded coronet and fell to her finger tips. She wore a single strand of pearls, belonging to her mother, and carried a flower bouquet of pink roses and lily of the valley.

Miss Alice Wilkinson, bridesmaid, wore a turquoise blue jersey gown with bandeau and shoulder veil and net mitts of the same color. An arm bouquet of pink snapdragons and carnations completed her costume. Little Maxine Cameronis, cousin of the groom, wearing a long pink taffeta dress with clusters of flowers caught in her hair, and carrying a Colonial bouquet of pink carnations and blue iris, was the flower girl.

The best man was Mr Larry Gudmundson, and the ushers Mr. Norman E. Banning and Mr. Robert Gillespie, brother and cousin of the bride.

The reception was held at the Goblin Hall, where the young couple assisted by Mrs. Banning and Mrs. Bystedt, received their friends before a decorated archway. The three-tiered cake topped with a miniature bride and groom, centred the decorated table. Mr. Dennis Carter gave the toast to the bride.

For a honeymoon at Harrison Hot Springs, the bride wore a cherry-red gabardine suit with navy blue hat and topcoat, grey accessories and a gardenia corsage.

They will return to Victoria to make their home.

SOME TERRIERS AREN'T

Terriers were originally dogs which pursued rabbits and other game into burrows, but the word now is applied to many dogs too large and pampered to justify the name.

Two Different Silhouettes Seen at Show

By FLORENCE MILLS

PARIS, April 24 (AP).—Mid-season fashion collections now being shown by Captain Molyneux and Robert Piguet are as different as chalk and cheese. They exploit two entirely different silhouettes.

Molyneux puts the spotlight on back interest with elegant hip drapery flowing into hips bows or puffs. Piguet, on the other hand, puts fullness into all his skirts. They have simply sat gores or clusters of unpressed pleats which swing straight out from the waist. In a white ribbed silk number he departs entirely from the "interest at the back" dictum and sets all the fullness at the front, leaving the back completely plain.

Peplicoats are still in the news but to a much lesser extent. Piguet does not use them at all but Molyneux, who used for them in a big way in his spring collection, still favors them. He hitches the back skirt up beneath the bustle or how in order to reveal the frippery at the hem edge. But his peplicoats have changed color. Now they are black.

He whisks you back a few score years with twirling frilled pink parasols and black jersey knee-length bloomers. But he jerks you back to the reality of Paris 1948 with a bizarre-looking scarlet satin shirt epauletted with white bobbles which he sets above navy linen pirate pants.

Waistlines in both collections are at the natural level, but are pulled back tight. Shoulders are drooping practically unpadded. Piguet favors the over-the-shoulder seam and deeply cuffed sleeves, but Molyneux sets his in at the tailored line.

Necklines, on the whole, aren't revealing. Piguet shows countless collars that stand up high at the back and gradually into the front of the bodice.

St. Joseph's Commencement Exercises at Royal Tonight

The forty-sixth annual commencement exercises of St. Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing will take place at the Royal Theatre this evening when 32 girls will graduate as nurses, three in pathological laboratory technology, three in X-ray technology and two, post-graduate course, operating room.

P. M. Bryant, M.D., F.A.C.S. member of St. Joseph's Hospital Medical Advisory Board will give the chairman's address His Worship Mayor P. E. George will present the diplomas and address to the graduating class and Mother Mary Ludovic, Provincial Superior and Mother Mary Mark, Superior will confer the medals.

Presentation of the graduates will be made by Gerald P. Aylward, M.D., C.M. and John H. Moore, M.D., F.A.C.S., president, St. Joseph's Hospital Medical staff will bring greetings from the Medical profession

His Excellency the Most Reverend James M. Hill, D.D., Bishop of Victoria, will give the address.

Errington News

St. Mary's Guild held the regular social evening at the home of Mrs. O. Overy. Games, and a "Quiz," conducted by Rev. G. T. Pettison, attracted many participants. The home-cooking stall was also well patronized.

ACTORS HONORED

Certificates of Merit have been received by the following local players for their performances in the recent Mid-Island Drama Festival held in Errington: Ted Kent, Elsie Farnsworth, Enid Green, Sharon O'Connor, Mrs. E. Creighton, Mr. E. Creighton and Mr. F. McGowan. Mrs. J. Tryor, Mrs. W. Roscoe, Mrs. E. Allwood for direction of "Truth Will Out."

FLOWER SHOW, MAY 1

St. George's annual flower show will be held on Saturday, May 1, in the Scout Hall, Cadboro Bay. Mrs. H. F. Hodges will open the show at 3 p.m. and Mrs. Marian Cordiks and Dr. Gunson will act as judges of the various entries.

Engagements

Mr and Mrs A. E Blackwell, 718 Vernon Street, Nelson, B.C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Verna Mae, to Don Francis Sprinkling, youngest son of Mr and Mrs D. F. Sprinkling, 905 Southgate Street, Victoria. The wedding to take place May 8 in Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Boyd, 1181 Balfour Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Ruth Elizabeth, to Mr. Richard Arthur Holman, eldest son of Mr and Mrs. Urban W. Holman, 1214 Shelbourne Street. The wedding will take place at St. John's Church on May 31, 1948, at 8 o'clock.

Mr and Mrs. E. Currier, Harrop Road, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Winnie (Dolly), to Darryl W. Sturgeit, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Sturgeit, Brentwood. The wedding will take place on July 16 in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Peter Gorst announces the engagement of his daughter, Mary Marguerite, to Mr. George Fredrick Ashton, second son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Ashton, Vanalman Avenue, Victoria. The wedding will take place at 6 p.m., in Grace English Lutheran Church, Blanshard Street.

Mr and Mrs. J. Marshall, 1431 Hamilton Road, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Muriel May, to Leonard Thomas Walsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walsh, of Buchans, Newfoundland. The wedding will take place May 8, 1948, at St. Alban's Church, 8 p.m.

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at The Colonist Office up to noon Saturday. Minimum charge $1.50 for 15 lines and 10c for each additional line.

SUCCESSFUL TEA

The sum of $150.70 was realized at the Spring tea held in Macpeper and centred with a vase of Kensington Avenue School on Friday, daffodils.

bride traveled in a fawn dress, black topcoat and black accessories. Mr and Mrs. Simmons will make their home in Chemainus

Mrs. George Clinton was convener and Mrs. K. Hemsworth was in charge of the sewing and home cooking stall.

Mrs. T. M. Curtis and Mrs. L. Loiselle poured tea from a table prettily decorated with yellow crepe paper and centred with a vase of daffodils.

Couple to Live In Chemainus

Calvary Baptist Church, Chemainus, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Thursday, April 22, when Mr. John Alder united in marriage Winnona Beverley, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonsall of Chemainus, and Arthur George Emmons, eldest son of Mr and Mrs G. Emmons of Christopher Lake, Sask.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was charming in a gown of ivory satin featuring deep nylon yoke and full skirt slightly on train. Her floor length veil was held by a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of white carnations, red roses and swansonia.

Miss Bernice Millar and Miss Audrey McBean were bridesmaids wearing pink net and blue taffeta respectively. Both wore velvet bandeau dresses and carried bouquets of carnations.

Mr. Henry Bonsall of Westholme supported the groom, and the ushers were Mr. H. Work and Mr. A. Crabbe.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the Anglican Parish Hall, where the toast to the bride was proposed by Mr. Winter Cook of Duncan, the bride's uncle.

For a motor trip on the Island, the bride travelled in a fawn dress, black topcoat and black accessories. Mr and Mrs. Emmons will make their home in Chemainus

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Couple Cut Cake Following Wedding

—Photo by Jocelyn Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Tanner are pictured as they cut the wedding cake at the reception following their marriage which took place recently at the First United Church. Mrs. Tanner is the former Mary Patricia Groves, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Fred Groves, while the groom is the youngest son of Mrs. Alice M. Tanner at Victoria and the late Mr. G. W. Tanner.

Pie Is Favorite Dessert

For many generations the term "upper crust" has been used in reference to persons who are thought to be a bit above average. The idea undoubtedly came from the fact that many pies served had a fine top crust but a poor soggy lower crust.

Since pie seems to be many favorite dessert on this continent, pastry has been set as a standard by which many a bride's cooking has been rated. It is true that very often pastry does not measure up to the kind mother makes, but if a few rules are followed there should be no difficulty in making tender, flaky pastry that literally melts in the mouth.

The home economists of the Consumer Section, Department of Agriculture, offer some tips for successful pastry making.

All ingredients should be cold, except in the method for "hot water pastry." When everything is cold the fat will not melt and coat the particles of flour preventing absorption of the water.

Too much rolling or handling tends to toughen pastry. Lightly rolling from the centre toward the edges will give best results. Dough that is stretched will shrink back when heated.

The cooking of pastry has important bearing on the finished product. A very hot oven for the first 10 or 15 minutes is essential. The heat causes sudden expansion of the cold air which has been enclosed in the pastry during rolling and also sets the crust quickly. The temperature may then be lowered to cook the filling completely.

These recipes for pastry yield sufficient paste for one 8-inch double crust pie and one 8-inch shell.

PLAIN PASTRY

2 cups sifted all-purpose flour
or 2½ cups sifted pastry flour
1½ teaspoons salt
2 tablespoons water
¾ cup shortening

Mix flour and salt. Remove ¼ cup of the flour and mix with the water, blending to a smooth paste. Cut the shortening into the remaining flour until the pieces are the size of small peas. Mix the flour paste into the flour and fat mixture and combine until the dough clings together. Divide into desired portions and roll out.

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HOT WATER PASTRY

⅔ cup shortening
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2 cups sifted all-purpose flour
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Cream the shortening fine in the boiling water. Cool slightly. Add the salt and flour, mixing in in with a quick cutting motion. Do not stir. Chill. Divide into desired portions and roll out.

LEMON CREAM PIE

⅓ cup sugar
2½ teaspoons cornstarch
or 3 tablespoons all-purpose flour
¼ teaspoon salt
1½ cups milk
2 egg yolks, well beaten
½ cup lemon juice
½ teaspoon grated lemon rind
1 baked 8-inch pie shell
3 egg whites
2 tablespoons sugar

Combine sugar, cornstarch or flour, salt, milk and beaten egg yolks and cook in top of double boiler until thick, stirring frequently. Add lemon juice and rind. Cool, custard slightly. Fill baked pie shell. Top with meringue made from the 3 egg whites and 3 tablespoons sugar and brown in a moderately slow oven, 325 degrees F. Yield: one 8-inch pie.

Choose Good Recipe and Stick To the Rules for Good Pastry

By KAY REX
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, April 24.—The new cook should choose a good recipe and stick to the rules for pastry-making if she would turn out the kind of pie that mother used to bake.

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Pretty Wedding At Port Alberni

At Alberni United Church on Thursday evening, April 22, Ruth Lillian, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hibbert, Port Alberni, exchanged marriage vows with Leslie George Corbin, younger son of Mr and Mrs. A. Corbin, Cherry Creek, Alberni.

The church was tastefully decorated with Spring flowers and flowering plum. Rev. J. G. G. Bompas was the officiating minister.

To the strains of the wedding music played by Mrs. F. L. Bell the attractive bride entered the church on the arm of her father, who gave her to marriage. Her wedding gown was of white transparent velvet featuring the bateau neckline, long sleeves and slim torso with basic effect extending to sweeping train. Her long flowing veil of white silk-embroidered net fell gracefully from a tiny wreath of velvet flowers. The bride carried an arm bouquet of American Beauty roses and white hyacinths and her only ornament was a string of pearls.

The bride's attendants were Mrs. F. T. Boyer, matron of honor, and Miss Florence Lewis, bridesmaid. Their gowns were styled similar to the bride's and their hats were braided organza matching their dresses with flower trim. Mrs. Powers' dress was of primrose yellow moire taffeta and she carried a bouquet of white carnations and blue brocade with a bouquet of pink and white carnations.

The charming little flower girl was Helen Best, cousin of the bride. She wore a long dress in the crinoline style of white embroidered organza over mauve, and pretty little poke bonnet to match. She carried a bouquet of lily narcissi.

Mark Mosher, brother-in-law of the groom was the best man and ushers were the bride's brother Bill Hibbert and Stanley Robinson, the groom's cousin.

A reception for more than 100 guests was held at the Rosebank following the ceremony where the bride's table was covered with a lace cloth belonging to her grandmother, Mrs. C. Manning. Centring the table was the three-tiered wedding cake topped with a lily wreath and doves. The toast to the bride was proposed by A. G. McCulloch.

Mr and Mrs Corbin are spending their honeymoon motoring to California. The bride's going away costume was a grey gabardine suit with a pink hat and pink blouse, corsage of pink and white carnations. Upon their return the couple will make their home at Cherry Creek, Alberni.

Campbell River

PURCHASE FRIGIDAIRE

It was reported that a Frigidaire had been purchased for the Lourdes Hospital, Campbell River, by the Ladies Auxiliary to the hospital, when they met recently. Final plans were made for the annual dipping hospital dance to be held on May 6, when there will be spot dances and many other attractions.

The W.A. to the Lourdes Hospital held a successful silver tea recently in the nurses' home when Mrs Gordon Motion, president, welcomed the guests, and those assisting Miss Markin, Mrs Joslin was convener, assisted by the ladies of the

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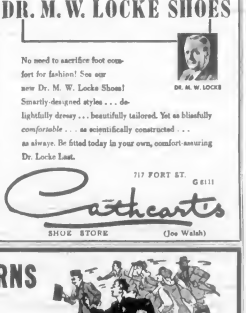

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Radio Club at Victoria High Presents Final Program

Victoria High's Radio Club presented the last program of its series Wednesday morning at 11 30 Proceed were Bhagat Singh, president of the students council, who spoke on the school's Memorial stadium campaign; Hugh Curtis, who read the high school news, and Don Taylor, who

The Radio Club this year was sponsored by Stanley A. Murphy, and programs were planned by a committee of five members which included Ray Gerhard, Hugh Curtis, Burl Hannesson, Carey McAllister and Charlie Boadri.

On May 4 canvassing day for the Memorial stadium will be held, and is being publicized by students throughout the city. Every student has been assigned his or her roll and is expected to collect at least $25. Students will be released from school after roll call and spend period that morning and will remain until noon.

Girls Hi-Y is sponsoring a Co-Ed Cotton Profile on May 7, for which all arrangements are being kept a secret in the hot dance of the year and all proceeds go to the Memorial Stadium Fund. May 3 will be open-house night at Victoria High School. The Inter-House Five-Mile Road Race will begin and end at the school and a special honor assembly will be presented in the auditorium admission free.

Victoria High's candidate for Miss Stadium Pond, May 3 will be announced on Friday. The candidates, of whom there were three, were selected by students at the student body Thursday afternoon. The final choice of the school was Pat Pettinger, a popular Grade X student. Pat is a member of the school's majorettes, and is well-known.

High Revue Will Be Lively Fete

There won't be a dull moment in the Oak Bay High School Revue to be held in the school auditorium on May 7 and 8.

When the curtain falls on a Western scene with the cowboys lounging around a fire, a humorous monologue commences. No sooner is that finished when Danish dancers come on.

An English drawing-room, peopled with fifth century spinsters, suddenly changes to a scene of dancing Mexicans. Then the setting is changed again to show tumbling or a comic dialogue. A young lady plays the piano, then, until the finale, there is dancing and singing.

Students First To End Course

Students of two forestry jobs at George Jay School recently became the first of the school forestry clubs organized throughout British Columbia to complete Part I of the elementary forestry course sponsored by the Canadian Forestry Association.

An official of the association reported that there are now 141 schools taking this three-part course which deals with the structure of a tree to identifying native British Columbia trees, the forest industries, fire prevention, conservation and employment opportunities.

Teachers in charge of the two forestry clubs are Ross Burgess and Miss Edna Lawrence. Both clubs shortly be presented with a framed certificate, inscribed with their school's name, to hang in their classrooms.

Mussolini Kin Hopeful Of U.S. Life

ZURICH, April 24 (NANA) Benito Mussolini's impoverished widow, Donna Rachele, has applied for a United States immigration visa, with the aid of American friends, according to Italian informants here. Details are being submitted to the State Department in Washington for approval. Also applying are the dead dictator's son, Romano, and his daughter, Onnamaria.

Since their release from internment in 1945, the Mussolini family has lived in Paris, on the Isle of Ischia in the Gulf of Naples. There, popular and liked by all, they occupy a former cloister where Rachele cooks, sews and cleans all day long. They have no servants.

The family is hopeful of obtaining the visas in May. Donna Rachele says: "We look forward to starting our lives afresh in America. There is no future here for the children. We have good friends there and they have sent us food and invited us to stay there as long as we wish."

Good looking Annamaria has her father's manners and voice. She is film-struck and cuts out all the pictures of stars from magazines. She knows the life story of each and has great Hollywood ambitions herself.

Romano is studying at Naples. He is shy but very proud. A great music lover, he plays the piano well. Romano complains bitterly of the homemade shirts his mother makes for him and claims they don't fit.

The former dictator's widow hopes to publish her memoirs in America. She began them in 1922 and says they will show the world a Mussolini never known before. She had saw the Italian strongman two days before his death. He told her: "I am going my way." She says he did not want to save himself.

OTTAWA, April 24 (CP)—Stocks of Canadian wheat in store or in transit in North America at midnight April 18 totaled 481,798,957 bushels, compared with 399,020,000 bushels April 17 last year. Visible supplies on the latter date consisted of 79,983,964 bushels in Canadian positions and 1,096,819 bushels in United States positions.

MAVERICK RUSTLER

The word maverick, an American term for stray cattle, recalls a Texan, Samuel Maverick, who took advantage of the turmoil caused by the Civil War to appropriate any stray cattle he found.

Reid Named To Fisheries

OTTAWA, April 24 (CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced yesterday that Thomas Reid (L, New Westminster) has been appointed parliamentary assistant to Fisheries Minister MacKinnon.

He also announced the resignation of Walter Tucker (L, Rosthern) as parliamentary assistant to Veterans Minister Gregg.

Students Present Radio Program

Radio listeners yesterday heard pleasant 15-minute musical program between 2 and 2 15 p.m., presented by students of Oak Bay High School. Complete program was handled by students, with direction from Rodd Lea of station staff. Above photo shows students with program under way. David Price is seated at piano, while Soloist Miss Nancy Fleming and Announcer Ray R. Taylor stand by microphone. Considerable number of Oak Bay High School students were among audience.

Red-Headed Ruby Ross to Represent Esquimalt High in May Queen Race

Ruby Ross was elected May Queen of Esquimalt High School Wednesday when returns of the voting were made known. She topped four other candidates, Margaret Mackay, Jean McKay, Therese Trembley and Frances MacDonald.

The red-headed "queen" will represent Esquimalt at the Inter-High School ceremonies April 27 at the Dominion Theatre when Greater Victoria's May Queen will be chosen.

On Tuesday, at a brief afternoon assembly period, the five May Queen candidates were introduced to the school by student council president Don Jones, in charge of the voting polls were Flora Dunlop, Margaret Burdon and Don Carpenter. A total of 87 per cent of the students cast votes.

More for Cattle

OTTAWA, April 24 (CP)—Canadian cattle markets fell sharply price advances running generally 50 to 75 cents a hundredweight higher, the Dominion Agriculture Department reported in its weekly livestock review.

Toronto cattle prices were 75 cents to $1 higher. Top for weighty steers was $18.50 with other steers from $18.25 down to $16. Butcher steers sold at $16-$18 and heifers, $15-$17. At Montreal, steers brought $16-$17.25.

At Winnipeg, steers were $17.25-$17.75, Calgary, $16-$17, Edmonton, $17.75, Prince Albert, $16.50, Moose Jaw, $16.50, Saskatoon, $17, Regina $17, and Vancouver $17.50-$17.25.

Dairy cattle exports to the United States for the week ended April 22 were 2,391, compared with 1,827 in the same period last year. Exports from January 1 to date are 20,813, compared with 12,140 in the same period last year.

Toronto was steady at $19-$21 per cwt. for choice calves. Montreal paid $18-$19, and Winnipeg, $18-$20. Calf prices at other Western markets held steady.

REFINE MORE PETROLEUM

OTTAWA, April 24 (CP)—Canadian output of refined petroleum products in January totaled 5,713,[illegible] barrels, slightly below the December production, but substantially higher than the output of 5,018,382 barrels in January last year the Bureau of Statistics reported. Refineries used 8,246,574 barrels of crude oil in the month, against 8,486,027 barrels in January, 1947.

Coming Sports Day, Dance Main Topic at Oak Bay High

The regular monthly meeting of Oak Bay High Schools Student Council was held last week with prominent users Main in the chair.

The main topic under discussion was the coming Sports Day and Dance to be held on May 14 at the school. It was decided that the dance system would be used with points awarded to individual houses. Mr. Ross Wilson, Mr. Ken Ross and Mr. Jack Young were appointed to arrange the dance. It was also decided that a large number of students will participate.

In the school public address system will be used to aid the athletic and competitors by announcing the results and events. The Junior Red Cross of the school will also arrange some of the refreshments.

PLAN TRUCK AND FIELD

The affair will start promptly after the afternoon hour and will be completed in the early afternoon. Track and field in all forms will be presented as well as tumbling novelty races, such as the French addition long field, an obstacle no hands, tumbling in bags, thread-and-needle and many others.

The presentation of cups and ribbons will take place in front of the school main entrance immediately after the last race finishes.

H. N. Hartman, principal will be elected in the pre-relation by an honored guest and the school's principal, representatives.

The Sports Dance, called a Cotton Profile will take place in the school auditorium on the evening of May 14, when all students and ex students of Oak Bay High School are invited to attend.

Hiring of an orchestra, choosing a master of ceremonies and arranging Phyllis Howland Alice Portman, Ken Hartman, Fred Sherwood, and Bob Bond, of the entertainment committee. Grime Proceeds of $15 will be used for Junior Red Cross activities.

This week's personality in the news, our staff members are being Ruby Ross, newly-elected school president of Esquimalt High School. Ruby plays basketball softball, tennis, hockey badminton, track and field. Ruby's sports. She is captain of the Hi-Jinks basketball team, House III were all successful outstanding sports captain and a member of the petitions. The other nominees were Journalism Club.

Joan Bailey, Beverly Lister, Joan Shaw, Shirley Nutter, Marie Gillard, Barbara Floyd, Kay Sports Barbara Nott, Dorea Walker,

Tight Vote Expected in House On Veterans' Pension Changes

OTTAWA, April 24 (CP)—Rather than vote on party lines for to be obscured, war pensions would "be a catastrophe for those responsible".

The rub is that Maj. Wickens is a prominent Saskatchewan Liberal and had been counted upon as an ally of Veterans Minister Walter Tucker, Liberal leader in that Province, in the forthcoming Provincial election.

Chairman of the Veterans affairs committee and Parliamentary assistant to Veterans Minister Crerar.

The latest development—a vote on amendments to a Government bill proposing a 16-per-cent increase in pensions for war disabled and widows and 20 per cent for dependents—probably will come in the Commons committee on veterans affairs this week.

It is expected to see Liberal members not be in supply, voting against Opposition motions to invoke Rule 32 (2)—per-cent bottle.

DEFEAT POSSIBLE

With any wavering, unless assisted by some Opposition support, the vote could go against them and sentiment the Government will in a committee recommendation in favor of higher pensions. With only a 18 to 16 majority in membership, the Liberals are faced with the fact that George Cruickshank (L., Fraser Valley) seconded the motion for 20 per cent, and this assured that the vote on that amount at least will be extremely tight.

Canada's current pension bill for nearly 400,000 men, women and children is $72,500,000 a year. The Government proposal would jump it to $84,000,000 the 32½ per cent to roughly $100,000,000.

The single, 100-per-cent disabled pensioner now gets $75 a month. The Government would give him $87. The 20 per cent would offer him about $94, the 32½ per cent would give $100. Other recipients would benefit in corresponding ratios.

The Liberals are embarrassed now because of this background:

Last December, the Government announced a 10-per-cent increase for the disabled and widows only. Opposition protests in public were joined by Liberal members in private. Liberal veteran-members said they simply wouldn't support the Government, and won the 10-20 per-cent increase on agreement that they would back the Cabinet when it was brought in.

AGAINST WISHES

Having given that assurance, they now are put in the position of having to vote against even higher increases which most of them favor individually. Although both they and Opposition members know the Government will go no higher, the popular advantage of demanding that it do so rests with the Progressive Conservatives and the C.C.F.

The issue was further complicated when Maj. A. J. Wickens, president of the Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans, told the committee this week that a proposal to give war pensioners a 25-per-cent increase would "be a catastrophe for those responsible".

Deaths Curbed By Using Proper Drugs

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24 (AP)—Proper use of the drugs heparin and dicumerol can save at least 40,000 Americans a year who otherwise would die of coronary heart disease, says Dr. Irvine S. Wright of Cornell Medical College.

Dr. Wright reported on his experiments with the two anti-blood clotting drugs to the closing meeting here of the American College of Physicians.

Total coronary deaths in the United States at present run from 210,000 to 300,000 a year, the specialist estimated.

Heparin is derived from liver. Dicumarol is found in decayed clover and now is produced synthetically. Dr. Wright said in 800 cases of coronary attack one group received the drugs and another did not. Those treated had only 13 per cent mortality and those not getting the drugs had 23 per cent.

In coronary heart disease death comes when the heart's own supply of blood is blocked by clots.

Ship and Air Schedules

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Victoria-Vancouver—Lv Victoria 1.25 p.m., arr Vancouver 2.20 p.m. Lv Victoria 11 a.m., arr Vancouver 4 p.m.

Vancouver-Victoria—Lv Vancouver 12.30 p.m., arr Victoria 1.25 p.m. Lv Vancouver 7 p.m., arr Victoria 8 p.m.

Victoria-Seattle—Lv Victoria 9.30 a.m., arr Victoria 12.30 p.m.

Victoria-Portland—Lv Victoria 9.30 a.m., arr Vancouver 4 p.m. Lv Victoria 1.45 p.m., arr Vancouver 9.15 p.m. (This schedule only except from Oct. Sunday to October 6.30 a.m., arr Vancouver 9.15 p.m. (This schedule only except Sunday).

Vancouver-Vancouver—Lv Vancouver 10 a.m., arr Victoria 11 a.m. Lv Victoria 11.30 a.m., arr Vancouver 12.30 p.m. (This schedule daily except Sunday). Lv Vancouver for Vancouver 10 a.m. Lv Vancouver 12.30 p.m., arr Victoria 1.25 p.m.

Gulf Islands Service—Lv Victoria 8.30 a.m., arr Vancouver 8.30 p.m., via Gulf Islands. Lv Victoria 1.45 p.m., arr Vancouver 9.15 p.m., via Gulf Islands, on Mondays only.

West Coast Vancouver Island—On Prince Maquinna will leave Victoria at 11 a.m. on the following dates: April 29, Sept. 1, 11, 18, 25, Oct. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27, July 6, 13, 21, 28, August 4, 12 and 26.

BLACK BALL FERRY LINE (Mt. Chinook)

Seattle-Port Angeles-Victoria—Lv Seattle 11.45 a.m., arr Port Angeles 2.30 p.m., Lv Port Angeles 2.30 p.m., arr Victoria 5.30 p.m. Lv Victoria 9.30 a.m., arr Port Angeles 12.45 p.m., Lv Port Angeles 12.45 p.m., arr Victoria 4 p.m. Lv Victoria 7.30 p.m., arr Port Angeles 10.15 p.m., Lv Port Angeles 10.15 p.m., arr Seattle 1 a.m.

TRANS-CANADA AIR LINES

(Flights from Victoria leave Patricia Bay)

Victoria-Vancouver—Lv Victoria 8.45 a.m., arr. Vancouver 9.40 a.m.; Lv. Victoria 1.45 p.m., arr. Vancouver 2.40 p.m.; Lv Victoria 1 p.m., arr. Vancouver 1.55 p.m.; Lv Victoria 6.15 p.m., arr. Vancouver 7.10 p.m. Lv Victoria 7.45 p.m., arr. Vancouver 8.40 p.m.; Lv Victoria 7.05 p.m., arr. Vancouver 8.10 p.m.; Lv Victoria 10 p.m., arr. Vancouver 10.50 p.m.

Vancouver-Victoria—Lv Vancouver 8.00 a.m., arr. Victoria 8 a.m.; Lv Vancouver 10 a.m., arr. Victoria 10.20 a.m.; Lv. Vancouver 12.30 p.m., arr. Victoria 1.25 p.m.; Lv Vancouver 3.45 p.m., arr. Victoria 4.15 p.m.; Lv Vancouver 5 p.m., arr. Victoria 5.30 p.m.; Lv Vancouver 6.30 p.m., arr. Victoria 7 p.m.; Lv Vancouver 8 p.m., arr. Victoria 8.30 p.m.

Victoria-Seattle—Lv Victoria 8.45 a.m., arr. Seattle 9.40 a.m.

Seattle-Victoria—Lv Seattle 8.30 a.m., arr. Victoria 9.25 a.m.

Gas Station—Not Atom Bomb

Resembling Bikini atom bomb explosion, flames and smoke erupt spectacularly as explosion of 10,000 gallons of gasoline spreads fire which menaced town of Tolleson, Arizona, recently. Twenty-eight persons suffered burns. Oil plant, grocery and service station, above, were destroyed.

Dutch Immigrants Turn Dairying Into Industry

PARAMOUNT, Calif., April 24—"Shoppin' dairying, they call it, and it's big business for a colony of Dutch immigrants in this flat suburban district.

They feed cows to the cows among other things, and they often wear out an entire herd in a year.

They supply more milk than any county in the United States, yet they can't quite meet the needs of the Los Angeles metropolitan area alone.

This isn't farming. It's dairying. The cows are in stalls and corrals, for there are no pasturelands. Land is too costly for alfalfa growing. Paved streets, instead of country roads, insect the seven rows of houses and barns, and the rumble of feed trucks is never stilled.

Forced feeding (the shotgun technique) scatters sixtuple of grain bossy all she'll eat of rich diet—copra, linseed meal, cottonseed meal, hay. The system has built up a milk production of 10,000,000 gallons a month, and yields $11,000,000 annually to the dairymen. They have to produce as much milk as possible because feed is high. All of it is shipped in.

Copra, the dried and broken kernels of the coconut, comes from the Philippines. Plants in nearby San Pedro crush it, extract the oil and mill the residue for cattle feed.

Scientists Feel World Food Supply Ensured by Layer of Life in Oceans

LA JOLLA, Calif., April 24 (AP)—American scientists have stumbled upon a vast layer of life in the oceans which some day may become an important new addition to the world's food supply.

It is a layer of water, 1,000 to 2,200 feet deep and averaging perhaps 800 feet thick. It swarms with unidentified living things. These may register on echo sounders used to determine ocean depths.

The navy calls this layer "the phantom bottom of the sea."

It's phantom because it disappears at night and because no one yet has been able to get a sample of it.

University of California and navy scientists unexpectedly found this layer in 1942 during wartime experiments.

Near Guadalupe Island, off Lower California, the echo sounder registered bottom at 1,800 feet. The scientists knew the ocean there was 12,000 feet deep.

This layer was not solid, said Dr. Carl F. Eckhart, now director of the Scripps Institution of Oceanography, but it contained something more substantial than water. A few small fish in every cubic foot of water in the layer might account for it, he said, or even suspended silt.

DISAPPEARED

Later, experiments with the depth sounder showed the thing disappeared between evening twilight and daylight. It vanished by rising so close to the surface that the depth sounder would not register it. During daylight it returned to its usual position in the depths.

Did it exist anywhere else? It did. Scientists, headed by Dr. R. S. Dietz of the Navy Electronics Laboratory, found it all over the Pacific from the Aleutians to the Antarctic. It was also found in the Atlantic. It has been found practically everywhere it has been looked for in waters more than 1,500 feet deep.

Evidence that the layer is composed of living things, plus its presence nearly everywhere in the seas point to the existence of a source of protein in a space almost as large as the combined areas of the oceans, which cover three-quarters of the earth's surface. Such a tremendous

Civil Servants To Be Given Salary Boosts

OTTAWA, April 24 (CP). — The Treasury Board has authorized salary increases for a further group of 3,600 civil servants. It was announced yesterday. As in the case of previous groups granted increases, the salary increases will be retroactive to last October 1.

The new raises involved approximately $600,000 a year and affect about 1,200 persons in Ottawa, the remainder in other parts of Canada.

In general the increase amounts to about $300 a year, or 425 a month. The list affected includes nearly every departmental of Government and men and women with salaries ranging from $1,273 to $1,600 a year. Their posts vary from high administrative jobs such as controller of radio services and controller of meteorological services, through scientists and technicians to minor positions.

Search Called Off When Boats Found

ASTORIA, Ore., April 24 (AP)—The Coast Guard called off a search for two fishing boats tonight after learning the vessels are safe in port at Eureka, Calif.

The trollers Ella and Lilly left here April 16 to fish off the California coast and were planning to return here. Search got under way when the craft failed to berth as scheduled.

NEW ORLEANS, April 24 (AP)—A swindler must pay income tax on the proceeds of his scheme but an embezzler needn't, a Court of Appeals ruled yesterday when two Texans asked to recover taxes paid on $272,200.

James A. Akers said he had embezzled the money from Mrs. Dora Roberts, wealthy 84-year-old widow. The Government argued, and the court held, that he swindled it.

Differentiating embezzlement and swindle, the court said in an embezzlement title to the money does not pass to the embezzler. Hence he does not have to pay income tax on it. In a swindle, however, the court said, title does pass to the swindler and tax must be paid.

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New York Stocks

NEW YORK, April 24 (AP)—The stock market fattened its flying rally this week on a rich diet of bullish news in the liveliest sustained trading in 19 months—ever since the post-Labor Day collapse in 1946—share values pushed to new highs. These top developments fed to defeat in the Italian elections relieved long-felt fears of a deteriorating foreign situation. Resumption of full-scale coal mining following contract penalties against John L. Lewis and the miners' union encouraged domestic business hopes. Rejection of steelworkers' wage demands by U.S. Steel led to expectation a third-round wage-price spiral might be averted.

DOW JONES' AVERAGES

Thirty industrials, 183.38, off .56.
Twenty rails, 52.37, up .16.
Fifteen utilities, 24.08, up .03.
Sixty-five stocks, 67.56, off .06.
Total sales, 910,000 shares.

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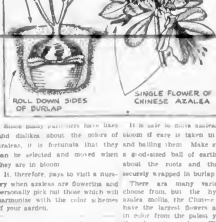
	Close	Chge
American Can	32	+1
American Tobacco B	68½	
American Tel and Tel	161½	+½
Anaconda Copper	26½	+½
Atchison	49½	+½
Bethlehem Steel	31½	+½
Chrysler	77½	+½
Columbia Broadcasting	24½	+½
Dupont	168½	+½
Eastman Kodak	35½	+½
General Foods	36½	+½
General Motors	56½	+½
Goodrich	65½	+½
Homestake	60	+1
International Harvester	56½	+½
Johns Manville	64½	+½
Kennecott Copper	35½	+½
Lehigh Valley	14½	+½
Montgomery Ward	53½	+½
National Biscuit	34½	+½
New York Central	19½	+½
Northern Pacific	21½	+½
Pacific Gas and Elec	29½	+½
Pennsylvania	16½	+½
Radio	9½	+½
Sears Roebuck	43½	+½
Standard Oil (N.J.)	67½	+½
Standard Oil (Ind.)	32½	+½
Standard Oil (Cal.)	38½	+½
Texas Co.	38½	+½
Union Carbide	61½	+½
Union Pacific	69½	+½
United Corporation	3½	+½
U.S. Steel	38½	+½
Westinghouse Electric	35½	+½

Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, April 24 (CP)—Prices continued firm with trading stocks in all groups making moderate advances while mining generally traded on a broad front in brisk action on the Toronto Stock Exchange. Profit-taking was evident, but was taken in the stride and the upward move was quite

	Bid	Asked
Acme Gas	3.00	
Agnico	1.05	1.10
Akaitcho	1.30	1.35
Alba Extension	.07	.08
Alberta Pacific	1.75	1.85
Algoma Steel	38½	39
Aldermac	.17	.19
Allenbee	.13	.14
Amalgamated Larder	.04	.05
Amalgamated Rare Earths	.03	.04
Anglo Canadian Pulp	65	
Anglo Huronian	13.00	
Arjon	.06	.07
Arno	.12	.13
Arntfield	.04	.05
Arrowhead	.03	.04
Ashdee	.03	.04
Ashley	.03	.04
Ashmore	.03	.04
Astoria Quebec	.13	.14
Atlantic Sugar	8.75	9.00
Aumacho River	.06	.07
Aunor	.65	.70
Bagamac	.06	.07
Bankfield	.08	.09
Barnat	.03	.04
Barvue	.08	.09
Base Metals	.07	.08
Beaufor	.12	.13
Bellava	.03	.04
Bidgood	.39	.41
Bobjo	.24	.26
Bordulac	.06½	.07½
Borkan	.03	.04
Bralorne	5.15	5.25
Brantoro	.03	.04
Brewis	.03	.04
Britalta	.03	.04
British Columbia Power	24	
British Columbia Packers	14

Select Azaleas When in Bloom In Order to Get Color Choice



Some many gardeners have likes and dislikes about the colors of azaleas, it is fortunate that they can be selected and moved when a good bloom is in bloom.

It, therefore, pays to visit a nursery when azaleas are flowering and personally pick out those which will harmonize with the color scheme of your garden.

It is safe to move azaleas in full bloom if care is taken in digging and balling them. Make sure that a good-sized ball of earth is left about the roots and that it is securely wrapped in burlap.

There are many varieties to choose from, but the hybrids of azalea mollis, the Chinese variety, have the largest flowers and vary in color from the palest yellow to the deepest scarlet. They are hardy, and even ten degrees below zero does not affect the flower buds. Unlike other azaleas, these hybrids are tolerant of lime. Their average height is three to five feet.

A single flower of a hybrid Chinese azalea is illustrated in the accompanying Garden-Graph. A group of these in bloom in the foreground of the shrub border is a delightful sight.

The prime rule for planting an azalea is, dig the hole big enough. The hole must be wide enough and deep enough to allow for loosened soil about the ball into which new roots can readily grow.

When planting, place each azalea correctly as to depth, as illustrated. Next unfold the burlap. Cut it away from the top of the ball. The remaining burlap can be rolled down, as illustrated. It will rot into the soil in a few months. Backfill the space about the ball until to within full tamping well. Add water and after it has seeped into the soil finish filling the hole.

Glimmer and Shimmer *Hollywood*

One of the most interesting movie sets ever built was the music research library constructed for Samuel Goldwyn's Technicolor frolic, "Roseanna McCoy," starring Danny Kaye and Virginia Mayo.

Occupying an entire huge sound stage it was built to house virtually every book ever written on music and every musical instrument of note.

BING CROSBY

At that, I do need a few modest dollars for golfing.

* * *

Probably more pictures have been built around Joan of Arc, than around any other character in stage or screen history.

Until now, however, there has never been the complete story of her life from the time she answered the call of God to her burning at the stake.

The R.K.O. Radio release, "Joan of Arc," starring Ingrid Bergman tells the entire story and places Miss Bergman at the top of an exclusive group of greats who have essayed the role in motion pictures.

Falconnette a French actress made a silent picture called "The Passion of Joan of Arc," which is the story of the trial.

Another French actress, Simone Genevois, played the part in a later film called "Jeanne d Arc."

The only American actress of importance to attempt the role on celluloid was Geraldine Partrar. She appeared in the "Joan the Woman" in early silent screen days.

Winla Ingrid Bergman scored on Broadway in "Joan of Lorraine,

VIRGINIA MAYO

INGRID BERGMAN

the motion picture is not a picturization of that hit play.

Of Ingrid the French technical adviser, Michael Berhelon, a lifetime student of the Joan of Arc story, says Ingrid is closer to Joan than any actress I have ever seen. She has the greatness

"For a year Ingrid prepared for the role, studying and absorbing the human side of Joan. And now, on the screen, Ingrid is Joan as convincingly as though the heroine of France had returned to play herself."

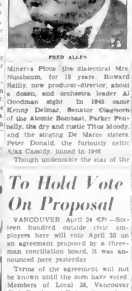
Next Show No Worry to Allen Till One Minute After This

This Week's Radio

Fred Allen, who got into radio as a fluke is in his 16th season on the air still making millions of listeners smile and laugh far more often than he does himself.

From a relatively modest radio debut, Allen has worked into the higher income brackets, hypertension, and the position of chronic stomach-and-butter of more than 40 actors, musicians and others.

His wife, Portland Hoffa, has been with the Allen shows since 1932.


FRED ALLEN

Minerva Pious (who detested Mrs. Nussbaum, for 15 years. Howard Reilly, now producer-director, about 15 years, and comics leader Al Goodman eight. In 1945 came Kenny Delmar, Senator Claghorn of the Atomic Bombsat, Parker Penally, the dry and rustic Titus Moody, and the sizzling De Marco sisters, Peter Donald, the furiously celtic Alex Cassidy, joined in 1946.

Though undeniably the star of the show Allen does not hog the microphone, with the result that some of his creations—such as Claghorn, that is—have become almost as famous as he is.

Allen wants it that way. He takes up to 50 hours a week on a 25-to-40 page script that will run about 18 minutes. The rest of the time is spent in writing, rewriting and trying out the gags, music, singing, commercials and "spring" laughs and applause.

His work week starts in earnest on Wednesday at 1 p.m. He meets his writers in an R.C.A. building conference room for the intense business of creating the week's Allen's Alley.

The process, being on current events adaptable for the Alley, is based on daily combing by Allen and his writers of New York newspapers, and sometimes a few out-of-town papers.

From four to six hours later, Allen goes home with notes unreadable to anyone but himself, and by some time between 2 and 3 a.m. has composed a script.

On Thursday morning the script is worked on a typist—his wife Portland, the typing chore some time ago—and in the afternoon he finds his Alley material with the rest of the writers script. On Friday the Alleyites do two read-throughs and on Saturday he and his writers confer with the following week's guest star.

The case rehearses again Sunday morning—the orchestra rehearses earlier, they never hear the script until show time, and by 8:15 p.m. Allen is warming up his studio audition. The week's output is aired between 9:30 and 9:59 p.m. At 9:01 he begins to worry about the next week's show.

Bulphatar Allen's radio career began when he was a kid, a successful stage comedian.

"I was supposed to go into a stage show," he said, "but it fell through, so I wrote a few radio auditions for fun. Nothing happened, then one with a bang."

His programs have been The Linit Bath Club, The Salad Bowl Revues and The Sal Hepatica Revues—all half-hour programs, then The Hour of Smiles, Town Hall Tonight, Fred Allen Show and Texaco Star Theatre, all an hour. In 1942 the show returned to a half-hour, stayed that way until his temporary retirement for his health. He returned in 1945, at his present time.

The story of the Fraser River is the story of pioneers days in the Canadian West, for along the 1,000 miles has unfolded a colorful pageant of men and women fighting a slow but winning battle to conquer the wilderness and build a new empire that is our Province of British Columbia today.

To re-create this pageant of history the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation—has this week arrangements, as recorded by the B.B.C., assured plans to present a half-hour broadcast that evening 60 hour dramatic series under the title the C.B.C. Trans-Canada network "The Mighty Fraser" to be heard at 7:30 p.m. Pacific Daylight Time, Thursdays at 8 p.m. starting April 29 over the C.B.C.

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Another talented young Canadian musician will take the radio spotlight C.B.C. officials this week announced in the weekly Concert Hall broadcasts for coverage of ceremonies in east of Sunday April 25, when Irene London next Monday, April 26 when Brait, contralto from Victoria, the King and Queen mark their British Columbia stops for the C.B.C. silver wedding anniversary. Their Trans-Canada network audience Majesties will drive in state from Accompanied by a string orchestra Buckingham Palace to St. Paul Directed by Samuel Hepenstone, Cathedral, were a special service will she will be heard at 4:30 p.m. Pacific Daylight Time

A condensed version of the programme will be recorded by the B.B.C.

Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

f. What is wrong with this sentence? "Who were those boys laughing at?"

g. What is the correct pronunciation of "literature"?

h. Which one of the words is misspelled? Diminiveness, disinfectant, distillation.

i. What does the word "unsequestrous" mean?

j. What is a word beginning with phi that means "laggin. indifferent"?

ANSWERS

f. It is better to say "At whom were those boys laughing?" 2 Pronounce lit-er-a-tur, and not litchur. g. Disentangle. 4 Servility attentive, fawning. An obnoxious smiling young man admitted them to the room." 5 Philanatic.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Largest measure
7. The same thing
14. Lazy
15. Pertaining to jewelry
16. Ceiling
18. Middle middle
19. Ancient American Indian
21. Weigh
22. Ice chest
23. Ice cream
27. Consonant
28. Pertaining to military
31. Without cons.
32. Dirty
33. Pronoun
34. Bottomless
35. Pronoun
36. Pertaining
37. Drinking well
38. Pertaining well
39. Sing
40. Former ruler
41. Ancient
42. Go along well
43. Concerning
44. Ice
45. Do later
46. Basin
47. Ancient
48. Mending
49. Ancient
50. Parliamentarian
51. Your, woman.
52. Ancient
53. Eight cons.
54. Light brown.
55. Ancient
56. Ice cream.

DOWN
1. Railway subsidy
2. Ancient
3. Pertaining to the right hand
4. Ancient Greek
5. Artificial language
6. Pertaining to the throat
7. Pitch or tarpaulin
8. Kind of tea
9. Ancient
10. Golf term.
11. Stimulus
12. Moreover
13. Ancient
14. Lawful
15. Trades war horse
17. Ancient
18. Bowl
20. Chemical prefix
21. Carbonaceous quartzose
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ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

To Hold Vote On Proposal

VANCOUVER April 24 (CP)—Sixteen hundred outside civic employees here will vote April 30 on an agreement proposed by a three-man conciliation board, it was announced here yesterday.

Terms of the agreement, will not be known until the men have voted. Members of Local 36, Vancouver Civic Employees Union, the workers are asking for a 25-cent-an-hour increase.

CORSHAM, Wiltshire, England (CP)—The Pickwick estate, reputed to be the birthplace of the Bath innkeeper whose name Dickens made famous, was auctioned recently. Most of the tenants bought their cottages from £100 ($400) and upwards.

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POTS · LABELS · CARROT FLY CONTROL
SPRAYS · FERTILIZERS · FLOWER SEEDS
SUTTON'S SEEDS FROM ENGLAND
FLORAL WIRE
GIVE FOOD SEED
Woodward's Florists

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NOTICE
Water will be turned off on Tuesday, April 27, at 8 A.M. until 2 P.M. in the area bounded by Quadra Street from Kenneth Street north to Milner and east to Borden Avenue
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Clerk of the Corporation of the District of Saanich.

NOTICE
If you have Trees to protect get on our Power Leaf Spray list early.
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"Honey Golden, eh? I knew it — a blonde! I'm going home to another!"
"Hey, wait a minute! I mean honey-golden, malty-rich, oh-so-wonderful Post's Grape-Nuts Flakes!"
"Oh, that's different!"
"Sure they're different! That famous Grape-Nuts flavor is different from any other cereal flavor in the world."
"I know. I know—because they're made from two grains instead of one."
"Sure — and loaded with carbohydrates and minerals and other food essentials."
"You win. Go ahead and have another bowl!—and I think I'll join you!"
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What's more, you'll see these results no matter how hard the water. For the whitest wash every time, get new Rinso containing Solium today!
SO SAFE FOR CLOTHES...SO KIND TO HANDS

'Always Together' Has Star Cast

Joyce Reynolds who co-stars with Robert Hutton in Warner Bros.' sprightly entertainment, "Always Together," opening tomorrow at the Atlas Theatre, plays the role of a $37.50 a week stenographer, who is given a million dollars to do with as she pleases.

Others important in the supporting cast include Cecil Kellaway, Ernest Truex and Don McGuire. Frederick De Cordova directed the comedy, which was produced by Alex Gottlieb. This is from an original screen play by Phoebe and Henry Ephron and f. A. D. Diamond of a story by Diamond.

At the Theatres

Absorbing Film About Teen-Agers

"Are These Our Parents?" the Monogram child delinquency drama opens an engagement at the Rio Theatre tomorrow, and presents in colorful fashion a picture of a present-day trend in American life which is nothing less than startling. The story, in all its details, demonstrates that the parents are responsible for the youthful delinquency of the younger generation, and that delinquency begins at home.

Rugged Drama Filmed in Mexico

Humphrey Bogart is cast as an American on the beach in Warner Bros' rugged drama of Mexico, "Treasure of Sierra Madre," which opens tomorrow at the Royal Theatre. A strong cast figures in this hard-fisted drama, including Walter Huston, Tim Holt, Bruce Bennett, Barton MacLane and Alfonso Bedoya. John Huston is responsible for the direction and the screen play which he turned out from a novel by B. Traven.

A Scandal Story From Best-Seller

The powerful drama of a man who faced disgrace with sealed lips to shield an unworthy love is thrillingly depicted in "Action for Slander," which brings Ann Todd to the York International Cinema tomorrow.

Adapted to the screen from the best-seller by Mary Borden, this Victor Saville production offers Todd and the supporting cast one of their greatest film opportunities.

A "Topper" Film At the Plaza

For those who have read the novels the hilarious return of "Topper Takes a Trip" and "Topper Returns" will know that they will have three hours of fun and laughter. The unforgettable character of Topper is portrayed by Roland Young. The films will be showing at the Plaza Theatre tomorrow.

Amusements

ON THE SCREEN

Atlas — Joyce Reynolds and Robert Hutton in "Always Together"

Capitol—June Allyson and Peter Lawford in "Good News"

Dominion—Quiet Week-End stars Derek Farr and Marjorie Fielding.

Oak Bay—Loretta Young and Crusades.

Odeon—Nicholas Nickleby," starring Sir Cedric Hardwicke.

Plaza — Constance Bennett and Roland Young in "Topper Takes a Trip."

Rio—Are These Our Parents?" stars Helen Vinson and Lyle Talbot.

Royal — Humphrey Bogart stars in "Treasure of Sierra Madre."

York—Clive Brook and Ann Todd in "Action for Slander."

How It Started

BY JEAN NEWTON

THAT WORD "COLUMN"

The researcher is familiar with the term "rolls" in allusion to state papers and records dating not only in the middle ages, but well of the past period. And in the we have the core of the word "volume".

"Volume" means "roll." It derives from the Latin volumen, "a roll of writing from volvere, volutum, "to roll." And originally it described a written document rolled up. In the manner in which scrolls were kept in olden times.

The ancient Egyptians wrote on a material made from the tall rush, this plant native to the land of the Nile, but now found also in other countries—Abyssinia, Syria, Sicily, for example—and called Cyperus Papyrus or papyrus. They cut the stem of the plant into thin slices which were pasted together and pressed into paper-like sheets These were rolled up on a short rod, and formed the scrolls known as papyri.

With long documents, the papyri were often unrolled from one rod and rerolled on to another as they were read. The same method held when parchment, or the skins of animals served as a writing material, as it did for centuries before the invention of paper. And from the Latin volvere, "to roll," came volume, for a roll of writing—our book!

Our word "book," incidentally, owes its origin also to an early form of writing. It derives through the Old English from the Anglo Saxon boc, here "beech," and first referred to the beechen board on which the ancient Saxons and Teutonic peoples did their writing.

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NEKOLD DOWET

SOUTHEND, England (CP)— A 22-year-old factory girl here was accused of robbing with violence, a woman of her handbag. "I don't know what made me do it," she told the police. "I was hard up and about to get married."

According to Culbertson

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The danger of bidding past the small-slam level in quest of a grand slam is increased by the fact that plays which still do wonders at the lower contract, cannot be even tried at a grand slam. This reference is largely to the useful stop and throw-in play the sort of play that should have kept today's declarer from making a "bad guess."

South, dealer.
North-South vulnerable

NORTH
♠ K Q J 8
♥ 4 3
♦ 8 2
♣ 4 3

WEST
♠ 9
♥ 10 6 7 5
♦ Q 4 3
♣ K 10 7 6 2

EAST
♠ 7
♥ K Q 8 2
♦ 8 7 5 3
♣ J 8 5 3

SOUTH
♠ A 10 7 5 3 4 2
♥ A
♦ K 7 6
♣ A Q

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	6 ♠	Pass
7 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

West opened the heart ten, driving out South's blank ace. South drew trumps in one round, then led a small diamond to the ace and returned the diamond jack through small-slam level in quest of a grand slam is increased by the fact that plays which still do wonders at the lower contract, cannot be even tried at a grand slam. This reference is largely to the useful stop and throw-in play the sort of play that should have kept today's declarer from making a "bad guess."

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Song and Dance Film in Color

The gone-but-not-forgotten days of the 20's, when students wore raccoon coats instead of worried expressions, carried ukuleles instead of the burdens of a family, and met at the college malt shop instead of a guided tour, are happily revived in M-G-M's Technicolor musical jamboree, "Good News," which is bringing good entertainment news to the Capitol Theatre screen this week.

June Allyson, Peter Lawford, Patricia Marshall and Joan McCracken star in the film.

Nicholas Nickleby Has Ten-Star Cast

"Nicholas Nickleby" opens tomorrow at the Odeon Theatre, and the film introduces the majority of the principal characters and every main incident. In the story with the particular requirements of the screen in mind.

Sir Cedric Hardwicke is cast as the villainous uncle, Ralph Nickleby. This brilliant actor has portrayed many a monster and the role of Ralph Nickleby bristles with acting opportunities. Also starred are Alfred Drayton, Cyril Fletcher, Bernard Miles, Fay Compton and Sally Ann Howes.

LIFE MAGAZINE says: "One of the few movies that can genuinely be called GREAT!"

TOMORROW . . . ANOTHER BIG SHOW ON STAGE and SCREEN ON STAGE AT 8 P.M.
IN PERSON
"MACDONALD'S HOME TOWNERS"
B.C.'S MOST POPULAR RADIO ARTISTS
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ON THE SCREEN
SHOWING MONDAY ONLY
Quiet Week-end
FEATURE AT 12:00, 3:40, 7:20, 9:35
"OPERATION WHITE TOWER" POPULAR SCIENCE—"SEVENS"
DOMINION
COMING — "THE JOLSON STORY"

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AN UNUSUAL BRITISH THRILLER, WHICH DUE TO ITS ORIGINALITY AND ITS STARTLING SUSPENSE STANDS OUT AS A LEADER.
THIS IS DIFFERENT!
NOT SINCE ALFRED HITCHCOCK HAS THERE BEEN AS UNUSUAL A SUSPENSE HIT!
A THOUSAND LIPS CONDEMNED HIM...UNTIL ONE WOMAN'S LIPS SAVED HIM!
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THIS & P.M. 25¢
DOORS DAILY 4:30 P.M. — CONTINUOUS SHOW SAT-SUN. DOORS 12:00 — CONTINUOUS
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COLOR BY in gay sparkling TECHNICOLOR!
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it's the BEST NEWS of the NEW YEAR!
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10 GREAT SONG HITS
Including "Pass the Peace Pipe" "Best Things in Life Are Free"
FEATURE AT 10:00, 2:01, 5:05, 7:15, 9:30
Extra!
CARTOON IN COLOR "THE MILKY WAY"
PETE SMITH SPECIALTY "HOW YOU SEE IT"
JOHN FERRETT'S FASHION PARADE
LATEST CAPITOL NEWS
Capitol
HARRY RAMSER PRESENTS

NICHOLAS NICKLEBY

CHARLES DICKENS for more than a century has enthralled readers young and old throughout the world with his stories. Today he has become, with the production of one great British film, the most popular story teller on the screen. Ealing Studios pay homage to those technicians and actors who brought "Great Expectations" so brilliantly before the film public, and are happy to announce a new Dickens film which they feel confident will be a worthy successor. "Nicholas Nickleby", enacted by a large cast of distinguished names, brings to screen life some of the most popular and widely known Dickens characters — the Nicklebys themselves, the frightful Squeerses of Dotheboys Hall, the extravagant Crummleses of the travelling theatre, the ludicrous Mantalinis, the heart-warming Cheeryble Brothers, Miss J.aCreevy, Newman Noggs and so many others — in a film that breathes comedy, drama and humanity.

J. ARTHUR RANK PRESENTS
NICHOLAS NICKLEBY
CEDRIC HARDWICKE • STANLEY HOLLOWAY
ALFRED DRAYTON • CYRIL FLETCHER
BERNARD MILES • DERICK BOND
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ATHENE SEYLER
Produced by MICHAEL BALCON Directed by CAVALCANTI
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DOORS 11:00
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Trygve Lie Praised on Stand Calling for End of War Talk

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y., April 25 (AP).—Trygve Lie has decided it is time to take a strong and forceful line for world peace.

The secretary-general of the United Nations will speak out whenever the free world affairs warrant it, associates close to him say.

Lie has changed his pace. It was quite a different approach from that he used in the early days of his office when he was trying to bring about conciliation.

The new decision of the United Nations secretary-general was said to have been taken after months of concern over the impasse between Russia and the United States.

The first sign of Lie's idea that the United Nations secretary-general must be something more than a chief clerk in world civil service was seen in his lecture aimed at the big powers April 12 at the Hyde Park home of the late President Roosevelt.

There Lie said war talk must be stopped. He said the Governments of the world should work harder for peace.

He said the United Nations is doing well except when one or the other of the big powers fails to use it as it should be used or to live up to the terms of the charter.

"The beyond, the by-pass, and the back-down are not the way to make the United Nations stronger, or the way to serve the cause of peace," Lie said.

Lie's associates said he was complimented on that talk by both Andrei Gromyko, Russian deputy foreign minister, who personally had cast 72 of the 73 Russian veto votes in the United Nations Security Council, and United States delegate Warren R. Austin.

Australia's agreement with Lie's stand was expressed in the political committee of the current second special United Nation Assembly on Palestine. April 20 John D. L. Hood, Australian delegate, quoted Lie's words and said the authority of the United Nations must be maintained.

Hood's quotation from Lie's speech on that occasion underscored the "back-down." This was an obvious reference to the United States switch from support of partitioning Palestine to a temporary trusteeship proposal for the Holy Land.

Public reaction expressed in numerous letters after the Hyde Park speech was reported right to one in favor of Lie's strong stand.

Prince Igor Gentle Boa--Says Owner

GARDEN CITY, Kan., April 24 (AP).—Prince Igor is the talk of the local bridge clubs.

He is an eight-foot boa constrictor, whose home is a front-room cage in the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rhodes, Jr.

The whole room has been redecorated in a style befitting the prince. It now has the Oriental motif of the boa's home. Pictures placed under the large front window have paper mache rocks, a slanted water pan, and a tree stump.

Igor is a gentle Brazilian variety and his owner claims the neighbors are all wrong when they say Igor's a menace.

"He's perfectly harmless," Rhodes explained, "and besides he too hairy to move."

Mrs. Rhodes, who wasn't too enthusiastic about the prince when he arrived, is beginning to become attached to Igor—her husband says.

Wins $100,000 At Party's Expense

ROME, April 24 (AP).—A pessimistic member of the Communist Popular Front won the Italian election lottery.

Luigi Prato, of Northern Valsizia, won 90,000,000 lire (roughly $100,000) for guessing that his party would take a crunching at the polls.

He was sole winner, and only the Government taxes put a bite into his prize.

Millions of Italians spent millions of lire on lottery tickets trying to hit the jackpot, by guessing how many deputies each party would get. Luigi hit it on the nose.

The newspaper Momento Sera said everybody in Valesia turned up at Luigi's home after he won—everybody but his Popular Front pals.

Physician Freed Of Entry Charge

TACOMA, April 24 (AP).—Dr M. L. Best, Seattle physician on trial in Federal Court here since Thursday, was found innocent on four charges of illegal entry into the United States by a Federal jury late this afternoon. The jury deliberated three hours before returning the verdict which found the defendant innocent on each of the Government's charges.

The prosecution claimed that Best, while operating in the United States at Blaine in 1945 after a visit in Canada, "made false and misleading statements as to his citizenship."

The Waterloo Bridge in London, England, was built by Danish engineers

Wrong Place To Carry Change

SEATTLE, April 24 (AP).—Robert Quarting, 18, had his hands full when a grocery clerk offered him 50 cents change.

"In the mouth," he said. "I'll carry it between my teeth."

With the 50-cent piece clenched in his mouth, Quarting started across the street. A car darted at him. He jumped back. So did the 50-cent piece—and down. Gulp!

PRINCE TO FARM

PULLMAN, Wash., April 24 (AP).—Prince Alfonso de Hohenlohe of Spain told Washington State College officials today he plans to work on a Kittitas County farm after studying modern farm methods at the college. He plans to go later to a family estate in Mexico.

"Carpet Bank" Fails Vancouverite

VANCOUVER, April 24 (CP).—Loss of $760 from a hiding place in his room was reported to police today by Martin Nielsen of Vancouver.

He told police he had withdrawn the money from a bank at Chilliwack, B.C., last month and had it under a carpet in his room. When he looked for it today it had disappeared.

Little Stories for Bedtime

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

FARMER BROWN'S BOY MAKES AN EARLY VISIT

Reddy Fox knows when other people are too smart for him. Just as soon as he saw that Mrs. Quack was taking the precious care for to swim over from the shore of the Smiling Pool, or to allow Mr. Quack to be knew that she was wise in the ways of the Great World, too wise to let her stomach steal away her brains, as the saying is when people allow the pleasure of eating to make them heedless and careless. He saw that Mr. and Mrs. Quack were having a splendid dinner, and this made it all the harder for him. You know, there is nothing which can make you more uncomfortable than to see someone else eating when you are very hungry yourself and have nothing. There they were, just out of reach, and he knew by the way they acted that they meant to keep out of reach. They didn't know he was there. Of that he was sure. But presently he was equally sure that they didn't intend to make any risks.

Still he remained hidden, hoping that for just a little minute one of them might forget and be careless. At last they finished their dinner. Then they swam over among the broken-down bulrushes where the Black Shadows lay deepest. He couldn't see them, but he could hear them saying good night to each other in low voices. Then all was still, save for the joyous chorus of the hylas singing in the Smiling Pool. Mr and Mrs. Quack had gone to bed for the night, and they were where Reddy Fox could not get them.

Reddy sighed. It was a soft little sigh of disappointment, so soft that no one heard it. Then, as carefully as he had crept to his hiding place, he stole away. He didn't want anyone to know that he had been there. You see, he meant to come again the next night. He hadn't given up hope that sooner or later he would dine on Mr or Mrs. Quack. But if they should suspect that he had been there that night they always would be watching for him to come back. He he took just as much care in leaving the Smiling Pool as he had in coming to it. When he felt that he could do so safely, he trotted swiftly across the Green Meadows in the direction of the Green Forest to see what he could find there. As for Mr. and Mrs Quack, they slept peacefully side by side among the rushes of the Smiling Pool all the night.

They were awake very early the next morning, for Mr. and Mrs Quack are very early risers. After breakfast they began to talk over what they should do. The Smiling Pool was such an open place that the very thought of staying there all day made them very nervous. But Mr. Quack couldn't fly because of the broken wing. Broken, you remember, by a shot from a terrible gun, and to swim down the Laughing Brook to the Big River would, quite as likely as not, be to swim right into danger from those terrible guns. Jerry Muskrat overheard them talking.

"Take my advice and stay right there," said he. "No hunters with terrible guns ever come here. They never in the wide world will think of looking for you here. If you don't stay you will be foolish."

"I guess Jerry is right," said Mr. Quack. "I don't see anything else to do. I can't fly and I'm not very strong yet, though since I've had something to eat I feel a great deal better. If any hunters do come you can fly away, my dear, and I'll slide under the bank of the Laughing Brook where the alder bushes hang over. I hope Jerry is right, and no hunter will come, for I like the Smiling Pool."

Just then Sammy Jay came flying over to see how Mr and Mrs Quack were. He perched in the top of the Big Hickory tree, and when he found out what ship were talking about he advised them just as Jerry Muskrat had. Suddenly he stopped talking and looked far across the Green Meadows. "I declare," said he, "I believe Farmer Brown's boy is coming over here to bring you some breakfast."

Instantly Mrs. Quack was in a terrible fright. "There is nothing to be afraid of," said Sammy. "He hasn't got a gun."

But this didn't relieve Mrs. Quack a bit. She hurried Mr. Quack up into the Laughing Brook and saw him safely hidden. Then she swam back to the Smiling Pool and there rose into the air on her aloud wings and headed toward the Big River Farmer Brown's boy saw her.

"That duck certainly is wild," said he to himself. "I thought perhaps I could steal near enough to have a good look at her, if bring so early in the morning. I thought I might catch her at breakfast." Then he saw Sammy Jay, and he knew who had warned Mrs. Quack.

Next story, Farmer Brown's Boy Sees Mr. Quack.

(Released by The Associated Newspapers)

"Take my advice and stay right here," said he

Shortage of Scrap Metal May Cripple U.K. Output

LONDON, April 24 (Reuters).—Shortages of scrap may cripple Britain's drive to produce this year the 16,000,000 tons of steel on which her plans to increase exports, and speed her economic recovery, depend.

Sir Stafford Cripps, Minister for Economic Affairs, made it clear recently that there was "nothing that would do more to relieve our present difficulties and strengthen the long-term position of Britain than a further increase in steel production."

This increase, and with it possibly Britain's industrial survival, now depends largely on the success of the steel target for 1948. Britain needs 4,600,000 tons of scrap besides pig iron, iron ore and coke. She must obtain about 1,000,000 tons from overseas and find another 3,500,000 tons at home.

Already, however, the British Iron and Steel Board has issued a warning that because of poor prospects of getting scrap from abroad, Britain may find herself about 1,000,000 tons short this year. Scrap Government stocks of scrap have reached the low level of 945,000 tons compared with 434,000 tons last year. Industry is more or less living on day-to-day supplies.

Li-Tsung-Jen Quits Race

NANKING, April 24 (Sunday) (AP).—Gen. Li Tsung-Jen withdrew today as the leading candidate for the vice-presidency of China.

Spokesmen said the withdrawal followed the mobilization of all Kuomintang (Government party) strength for Dr Sun Fo, current vice-president and the required candidate of Chiang Kai-shek.

The spokesman said that General Li certainly would win if he stayed in the race and that would reveal "the weakness of the Generalissimo."

At the same time, Gen Cheng Chien, a member of the minority Social Democratic party, withdrew on what he supporters said were direct orders from the Generalissimo.

This left Dr. Sun alone on the third ballot of the National Assembly, which is voting for the vice-presidency of China.

FOUND LAW DULL

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5. Persistent indigestion.
6. Persistent hoarseness, unexplained coughing or difficulty in swallowing.
7. Any change in normal bowel habits.

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Your Daily Forecast

By EDWARD A. WAGNER

PLANETARY DAILY GUIDE FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 25, 1948

Keywords for the day: Aspiration, planning, change.

Sunday in General—There may be a noticeable difference between one's mood of today and that of yesterday as well as in the line of drain upon activity followed. Pursuit of rest, the usual observances and light recreation are recommended.

If April 25 Is Your Birthdate—Many happy returns. Famous persons born on this date include Oliver Cromwell, statesman and military genius; Guglielmo Marconi, engineer, inventor of wireless telegraphy, Edward Gray, artist.

Your Year Ahead—Look for means of better conserving what you have and building up your resources. Do not allow people to drain your resources more than necessary. You will discover new power within yourself.

PLANETARY DAILY GUIDE FOR MONDAY, APRIL 26, 1948

Keywords for the day: Planning, study, patience.

Monday in General—The morning hours of this day are best for advancement of general interests, asking or granting favors. More others half way to maintain harmony in the evening. Some folks may be inclined to be contrary.

If April 26 Is Your Birthdate—Many happy returns." Famous persons born on this date include Artemus Ward (pen name of Charles Farrar Browne), journalist and lecturer; Frederick Law Olmsted, landscape architect and writer; Alexander Duff, missionary.

Your Year Ahead—You should be able to build up good reserves of money and energy if you follow a conservative course and do not waste or "fritter away" ready cash. Keep active, advance hobbies.

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No Rough Foods in Irritable Bowel

By DR. J. B. WARREN

In a series of 1,000 cases of irritable bowel or colon (colitis) 72 per cent gave a history of using purgatives or enemas daily or almost daily. In 42 per cent there were found also nervous symptoms varying from tiring easily and dizziness to headache and depression. The nervous ness causes nervous diarrhoea, spastic constipation, gaseous formation and sometimes

Acquiring calmness of spirit, taking bending exercises with knees straight, and avoiding a rough diet will correct most cases of irritable bowel.

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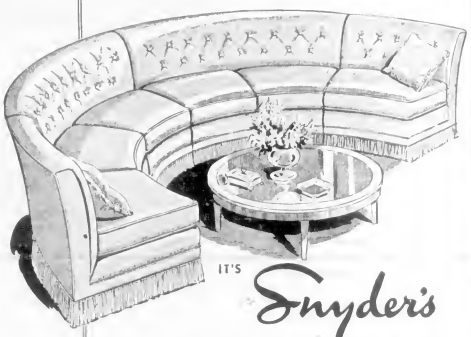

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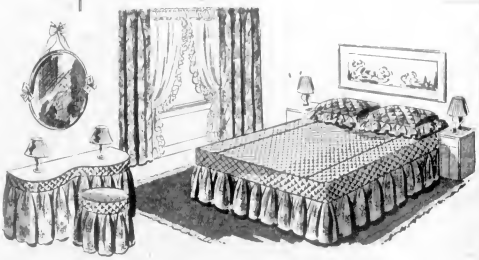

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NO. 115—NINETIETH YEAR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, SUNDAY, APRIL 25, 1948

Former Rugby Stars Pictured Before Triumph

Above 18 players, most of whom have long since seen their best days, met and defeated Victoria's representative team, The Crimson Tide, to challenge Rugby match at Macdonald Park yesterday. Ex-stars, known as Ebb Tide, handed younger opponents 6-5 defeat. Match was end of injured players' bowl and reunion of old Victoria Rugby stars. Back row, left to right, are: Paul row, Fraser Shepherd (referee), Vic Murdoch, Fred Ranson, Buzz Anderson, Tom Dalzell (holding Sullivan Trophy), Joe Andrews, Scotty McDonald and Brent Mudford. Back row, John Rowland (manager), Harry Barter, Alan Carruthers, Campbell Foster, Art Jukes, George Langdon, Frank Doheny, Jack Sparks, Doug Bray, Bob Muir, Bill Gornall and Don Moses.

PHOTO

Equimalt Eleven Takes Jackson Cup

Scrappy Dockyarders Defeat Oak Bay In Final Match, 2-1—Rowe Outstanding

A scrappy Equimalt soccer eleven had plenty of luck on its side yesterday when it defeated the Jackson Cup championship for the second time in a row at Hollywood Avenue Park by downing a spirited Oak Bay aggregation five a barrage at the Oak Bay 3-1 in a steady rain that reduced the crowd to all but a faithful few dozen. The Half-time score was 1-0 for the Dockyard winners.

At one time during the game two a hectic goalmouth scramble Mallard ducks settled on the playing field, found a convenient puddle and would have stayed but for the game as Bays moved in with an fact that play went through phlegmatic attack that lasted until the final resting place. Players, unfortunately, whistle During the last twenty-two, had to carry on in the mud. minutes the Equimalt defense held on

Equimalt opened with a rushing, and fast-breaking attack that kept Oak Bay hemmed in for the first twenty minutes. Art Young gave Dock-yarders the lead when he rammed one footing and greasy condition of home his own rebound on a solo-the ball. Art Young, Goofy Greer rush through the middle. Paterson and Wally Rowe were spark plugs had to be good on several occasions for the winners, while Doug Laird before Bays untracked themselves and Denoni and Alan "Rookie" and shook loose an attack. Wise-man shot straight at Rowe and Art Searle handled the whistle. Wright were Oak Bay standouts Thompson beat the Equimalt net-minder only to have his shot hit the post. Equimalt continued to press for most of the remainder of the period, but could not score.

The second stanza was almost all Oak Bay. Ferguson blocked the count before the ball was ten minutes old. Wiseman hit the crossbar with a flick that beat Rowe. Dick Watson lobbed in a fine effort that Rowe miraculously cleared over the

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Port Arthur Downs Barrie in Opener

Underdog Memorial Cup Finalists Hand Flyers Convincing Defeat

TORONTO, April 24 (CP)— Arthur Brains moved out of a pre-game underdog position tonight to hand Barrie Flyers a convincing 10-6 defeat in the opener of their Memorial Cup series here. Canadian junior-hockey supremacy. The teams meet here a total Monday night.

The Brains surprised the 13,000 fans by taking control of the game on the opening face-off. They were never threatened throughout the game, first two periods, but Barrie rallied back in the third to stage an amazing comeback and outscore the Lakehead boys, 3-2.

The Western champions jumped Brains in the last man of the 1-0 in the first period lead then Port moved the count to 5-3 at the end of the second.

Rudy Mizay, formerly of the Memorial Cup champion Toronto St. Michael's College team, was the big 16-4 defeat in the opener of their best-of-seven series for Canadian goals. Shifty Danny Lewicki and junior-hockey supremacy. The teams Bob Creighton, Fred Barnard and Bart Bradley counted singles.

Billy Harvey and Wilf Mousseau were the Eastern champions with two goals apiece, while Rusty Albano, Fraser Shepard, Bruno Pavero and Alfred Guanda each pocked one.

Thirteen minutes penalties were called seven on Barrie and six on Port Arthur. Big Pete Durham of night with four bantlmenta.

Women's Cage Crown Won By Easterners

TORONTO, April 24 (CP) — The Underwood Trophy, symbolic of the Canadian senior women's basketball championship, was won by the Toronto Montgomery Maids tonight. The Maids defeated Cardston Shooting Stars, 37-32, to win their best-of-three series.

The Maids, sparked by Madge Montgomery, who tossed nine points, ran ahead from the opening whistle and held a 19-14 lead by the half-time and romped further ahead in the third quarter to lead, 30-15.

The Maids were represented in the Toronto team by A. L. Irwin, president of the Canadian Amateur Basketball Association.

This is the second time the East has won the trophy. It was won last by Windsor in 1936.

Ottawa Gains Allan Cup Final

TORONTO, April 24 (CP)— The Tiger defence to stalk Mathers' Eastern Canada senior hockey title bound for the winner

went to Ottawa Senators today by reason of their 4-3 win over Hamilton Tigers. It was the sixth game of their series to qualify for a berth in the Allan Cup finals against Edmonton.

Senators served up the game to the fans from Hamilton, who had a one-goal Hamilton lead on goals by Jack Irwin and Dazenko after the Tigers had taken an edge of Los Angeles with a two-goal lead, today. In the second period, Frankie Mathers and Jack McLean set the stage for Dagenais who beat Chabin cleanly.

The Senators' reserve strength paid off in the game's final stages as the top-weary Tigers couldn't keep up the pace Childs kept the knees in the game with one of his best performances of the season. He turned back attack after attack in his usual unorthodox style.

In the final frame, Mathers took a tripping penalty and the shorthanded Senators were able to keep the puck in Hamilton territory. Jack McDonald rescued through the lock for the Ottawa goal.

Bruins — but that man of the night with four bantlmenta.

Release Cup Draw For City Elevens

Pat Malesky, Island soccer commissioner, yesterday released the Victoria draw for Province Cup play.

Victoria West will be at home to Equimalt on May 1 and the Island elevens will entertain Oak Bay in the other bracket on May 8. Winners will meet in the Island final on May 15. All games will be played at Macdonald Park. Island finalists go straight into the British Columbia semi-finals on the draw with top Vancouver elevens.

John Nemesich is still talking. Back in the W.I.L., but merely as a fill-in if President Bob Abel means what he said, the self-assured little umpire will probably find himself in trouble again as the result of his latest oratory. One day Nemesich may realize it is not an umpire's place to talk for publication.

There was considerable furore last year when a Vancouver paper published some of Nimesich's remarks about Victoria in general and Manager Ted Norbert in particular. Apparently it did not strike Nemesich that this may have had something to do with the fact that the W.I.L. did not see fit to rehire him for the 1948 season.

Now he is at it again—and using the same medium to get his remarks in print. He frankly admits that Norbert is his particular hate and that he does not like Victoria or Spokane. He prophesies there will be umpire trouble in the league this year because four new umpires are breaking in. He tells a story of how he evened up with Spokane by fining several players the night after the Spokane owner reportedly turned him in for playing cards in the afternoon.

A glance at the National League rules for umpires — rules which apply to all umpires—discloses these:

"Keep all personalities out of your work. You must be able to be forgive and forget."

"No matter what your opinion of another umpire, never make any adverse comments regarding him either ON the field or OFF. To do so is more than a breach of ethics. It is despicable and ungentlemanly."

This brings back a conversation I had with the same Mr Nemesich early last season. In between lauding his own ability —"I'm the league trouble-shooter, you know" — and criticizing Manager Norbert, he strongly insinuated that the Victoria Athletics would get the worst of it as far as he was concerned as long as Norbert persisted in questioning his calls.

It is a matter of record that he made good on this. It is hardly the accepted method to enforce authority on the diamond.

For the record, Nemesich is NOT the senior W.I.L. umpire. Frank Dehaney has been appointed to that post. Nemesich, who has been in the W.I.L. longer than any current umpire, is back only because of a shortage of umpires at the moment. President Abel assured me at the opening game in Yakima when questioned about Nemesich's return that it was only a temporary measure. This evening John with Victoria fans in hoping that President Abel was not just making an apology.

Random Harvest

One Vancouver writer has taken a dim view of Victoria United's action in withdrawing from soccer competition, and has gone to bat for Canadian Legion as the city Coast League entry. Reg Patterson, business manager of the Athletics, intends to lodge a protest with Lester Patrick, president of the Pacific Coast League, over Nemesich's latest indiscretion. Nelis Saggiani, Bill Cruz and Dick Powers, who do not appear to be cut out for Coast League baseball, will be sent back to a lower league. Henry Cotton, ranking British golfer, states that Lloyd Mangrum is the best "swinger" he has seen in the United States. Few spectators were raised at the unexpected announcement that the race meet at Langford downs would be run as usual. Johnny Hooper has been sent to Beaumont and is a regular along with Bob Wheldon in the Reporters' outfield. George Schmees, the hard-hitting Spokane outfielder, has been a flying sensation with Fort Worth in Texas League. Beans Marionette is back with Oklahoma City and playing second base. It looks as if the Crimson Tide could have used a few retired players to advantage this season. The A's have a hid in for another starting pitcher and a hitting outfielder, in addition to a first baseman.

QUERRING DEPARTMENT: Vic Palmer to retain the championship at the Royal Colwood Golf Club and Bob Morrison to defeat Don Grovum in the finals in the Highlands Golf Club. Standing to date—At but 213, Nite 148, batting average .688.

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Haddad Picked For Ring Team

VANCOUVER, April 24 (CP)— British Columbia is the first to name a team for the Olympic Fund's Diamond Belt boxing tournament here May 7-8.

The members are Flyweight Len Walters, Bantamweight Bob Stibbes Featherweight Frank Almond, Lightweight Eddie Haddad, Welterweight Lyle Rehoe, Middleweight Bill Brenner, Light-Heavyweight Jerris Jamel, and Heavyweight Billie Haddad is from Victoria.

To date, Alberta and Manitoba have named five men, but Saskatchewan has not completed its eliminations.

Thirty prominent businessmen will underwrite the show, it was learned today. A. E. Dal-Grauer, Victor Spencer and Austin Taylor have offered to guarantee the tournament, $5,000.

The tournament will decide Western Canada's ring entrants in the Canadian Olympic trials.

K.V.'s TO HOLD BANQUET

K.V.'s Athletic Club will hold its annual banquet at the Strathcona Hotel on Saturday at 6 30 p.m.

All members are asked to pick up their tickets at 643 Yates Street not later than Thursday.

Abrams Announces Ring Retirement

CHICAGO, April 24 (CP)—Georgie Abrams, one ranked among the top welterweights in the ring, has hung up his boxing gloves.

The decision of the 28-year-old Washington D.C. boxer to retire was announced by his manager, Charles Dunsky, after Abrams suffered a 10th-round technical knockout in the return of major boxing to Chicago rings Wednesday night. The first bouts since the tragic death of Sam Berwitt, Akron, O., light-heavyweight February 20.

Abrams' announcement was the result of a conference between Dunsky and Abrams' wife, Ruth Rasdik. The result was a distinct upset, since Abrams was prized a favorite, having up beaten Rasdik a year ago.

Spokane Indians to Face Athletics Tomorrow in 1948 Baseball Opener

Reg Patterson, business manager of the Victoria Athletics, was last night seen yesterday evening scanning the shins in an attempt to figure out what the weatherman had in store for him tomorrow when the A's League opener with the Spokane Indians in the 1948 W.I.L. baseball opener in Victoria.

Despite unsettled weather, it seems certain that upwards of 5,000 paying customers will find their way to Royal Athletic Park to see for themselves what the current edition of the A's look like. Although the Northerners have got away to a short start, they can be not a short because of four losses to their first six games.

An added attraction for the first-nighters will be the appearance of the Spokane club. Buddy Ryan's ex-performed crew are generally favored to win the league championship and their line-up is much more vested at this stage of the race than most of the other W.I.L. clubs.

The Indians feature strong catching and pitching. Roy Younger and Bill Bibelly, son of Earl Bibelly a high league star of the Victoria Rainiers, divide the receiving chores. Both are experienced marksmen as Bill Westerveld, who was in Victoria last year, will be behind the plate.

In the powerful Spokane pitching staff are such proven hurlers as Bill Wenteroski, Jim Bagby, Jr., John Cordell and Frank Nelson. Wenteroski was a Victoria nemesis last year, winning two games from all seen action in faster company.

Shortstop Herrera have both played in a number of Coast League games. A former Seattle outfielder, is another of Spokane's veteran array.

FAMILIAR FACES

While the Victoria line-up is far from set, city fans will see some promising players in action. Back from last year's club will be Slightbanders Leo Kasperchuk and Joe Slankenship and Base Jensen Lou Kislak, who spent 1946 and 1947 with Salem is another player familiar to diamond followers here.

Of the new Athletics, Shortstop Jack Palmer, Centerfielder Archie Wilson, and Pitchers Larry Ward and Walringham and Del Crews are players to watch. Likely to start, at second base is an improved Frank Clirinele, who was here with the A's two years ago.

Kust will get the starting assignment for Victoria depends on whether or not the A's get pitching today at Tacoma Ward and Walringham are the likely starters if today's game is won. Either one of the trio will be a powerful mound.

Patterson was unable to announce the complete opening-day crew last night but it will follow the usual pattern League-president Lester Patrick will be called upon to pitch in the ceremonies along with several other dignitaries. The respective managers will introduce their players to the fans and the ball game will be underway. The Victoria club has requested President Abel that the popular Frank Delaney be assigned here for the first series

Sports Fixtures Today, Tomorrow

TODAY

Golf

2 30 p.m.—Junior button match at Victoria Golf Club

2 30 p.m.—Club championship final at Uplands Golf Club

10 30 a.m.—Club championship semi-finals at Gorge Vale Golf Club.

Softball

3 00 p.m.—Douglas Tire vs Fernwood Area, exhibition game.

TOMORROW

Baseball

2 00 p.m.—Spokane Indians vs. Victoria Athletics, Royal Athletic Park (Home opener for the A's)

Salem Retains W.I.L. Lead; A's Rained Out

SHOW THIS STAND	W.	L.	Pct.
Victoria	6	1	.857
Vancouver	5	1	.833
Spokane	5	1	.833
Yakima	4	2	.667
Wenatchee	3	3	.500
Salem	2	4	.333
Tacoma	1	5	.167
Bellingham	0	6	.000

BALEM Ore., April 24 (AP)— Salem's Senators stayed in the lead of the Western International League today by winning a second straight game over Yakima, scoring a 4-2 win behind Lefty Cal McIrvin's pitching.

McIrvin, making his first start of the season, scattered seven hits and fanned an equal number of batters to blank Yakima until the eighth inning. Yakima got its two runs on Larry Orteig's single with two men on base.

The Senators scored three times in the first inning on six straight bases on balls, and added their final run in the sixth. R H E

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Salem 300 001 00x—4 3 2

Batteries: E. Johnson, Pinack (4), Kittle (7) and Eversgerd, McIrvin and McMillan.

Victoria at Tacoma Vancouver at Spokane Wenatchee at Bremerton, rained out.

Temple Scores Speedy Fall Over Gracia

Wrestling fans were treated to a variety of entertainment at the Bay Street armoury last night. In the first two bouts they saw fast, clean grappling and in the finals they witnessed some rugged action.

George Temple opened the final bout with one of the fastest falls on record. He came out fast, threw Chico Gracia for three quick body slams and gained the fall with a leg split hold of 18 seconds.

There was more action in the first three rows of seats in the third bout when Jack Kiser met Jack Tripp. The ex-bullfighter threw Tripp out of the ring and went out to mix in a slugging bee with Tripp amongst the spectators. He gained the verdict in 10 minutes and 30 seconds on a flying butt in the second round and McLaughlin had on him for the first fall. He evened the match in the final round.

Al Sisais took a one-fall decision from the veteran Jack Campbell in the opener. Campbell had a step-over-armlock on his opponent but he held backfired when Sisais rose up and stood Campbell on his shoulders.

Waiver Rule Has Rookie On Loon Tour

CHICAGO April 24 (AP) The complexities of baseball waiver rule have rookie outfielder Larry Miggins of St. Louis Cardinals—for the moment—on a wild merry-go-round.

Within a week 22-year-old Miggins was waived by the Cardinals claimed by the Chicago Cubs, waived by the Cubs and claimed by the Cardinals.

All of this manoeuvring was an attempt by both the Cards and Cubs to shake Miggins loose for further minor league seasoning.

He was drafted by St. Louis last fall from Minneapolis of the American Association. As a drafted player, he must be waived out of the majors for minor league assignment.

The Cards still want to farm him out but the Cubs are ineligible for future claim.

Dillard Ties Record

DES MOINES, April 24 (AP)— Harrison Dillard, America's greatest hurdler, today raced to his 25th consecutive victory in the 30th Drake Relays.

Dillard, who aspires to wear the shield of the United States in the 1948 Olympic Games, thrilled a shirt-sleeved crowd of 13,000 spectators in Drake Stadium by returning to victory in the 120-yard high hurdles in 14.1 seconds. This tied the record he set here a year ago.

VIC BUCCOLA

FANCY-FIELDING first baseman is expected early this week. Buccola may be back for another crack at the Coast League this season. He hit .291 in 1946, making 46 and 27 errors in 1947. Vic Buccola, who won admiration for his fielding in 1946 batted in 54 runs and saved many runs during 1946 but slumped to .264 in 1947 season with his scintillating defensive work. He batted in 54 runs and saved many his brilliant play in field. Tenative plan at gateway is still with Although inability to hit Coast Oakland Aerons has indicated pitching will necessarily has action due to presence of Mike Pitten, kept him on Oakland bench. He Efforts are being made to get Buccola should be able to improve on his cola to play obvious weakness on 1948 Athletics. Business-Manager Reg Patterson has high hopes for Buccola. Oakland may be persuaded to option Buccola to AA. Final decision will be made after he has completed his stint with the Victoria Athletics in 1948 season. Buccola, who is a product of the Victoria Athletics, is expected early this week. Buccola may be back for another crack at the Coast League this season. He hit .291 in 1946, making 46 and scoring 16 runs in 346 trips. He batted in 54 runs and saved many runs during 1946 but slumped to .264 in 1947 season with his scintillating defensive work. He batted in 54 runs and saved many his brilliant play in field. Tenative plan at gateway is still with Oakland.

Cubs Pull Out of Slump By Whipping Cardinals

By The Canadian Press

Chicago Cubs, who suffered two losses straight shutouts came roaring out of their National League doldrums yesterday at home yesterday to whip St. Louis Cardinals 8-3, before 10,000 fans. The Cubs collected four homers by Andy Pafko (2), Bob Scheffing and Hank Sauer.

Fifth-inning fielding and stickness on the part of three Philadelphia Phillies pitchers helped the Brooklyn Dodgers walk to an 11-4 victory over the Phillies at Brooklyn. The Dodgers rocked up 10 hits including homers by Bruce Edwards and Jackie Vaughan.

Making his first start of the year, Elmer Singleton held Cincinnati to five hits today as the Pittsburgh Pirates thumped the Redlegs, 7-1. Max West, a former Red, connected for a seventh inning homer to break a 1-1 tie and turn the tide for the Pirates.

The New York Giants were spearheaded to a 16-6 triumph over the Boston Braves by Whitey Lockman who drove home seven runs on six triples and two singles.

In the American League, Cleveland's tailbreak continued on the unbelievable length by virtue of their 4-1 win over the Detroit Tigers, they lined straight victory. Bob Feller also fanned six men and had a three-hit shutout into the which run his streak of scoreless pitching to 37 innings before the Tigers ended their lone run.

The Washington Senators nosed out the Philadelphia Athletics, 3-2, for their fourth consecutive victory. The A's outhit the Senators, 10-7, but the Washington pitcher Early Wynn stayed off trouble in every inning except the second.

The New York Yankees ended a three-game losing streak as Allie Reynolds pitched the champs to a 7-2 victory over the Boston Red Sox. Reynolds yielded nine hits, including Ted Williams second homer of the season and the 1969th of his career.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Games	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	3	0	1.000
Pittsburgh	3	0	1.000
New York	3	0	1.000
Chicago	2	1	.667
Philadelphia	2	1	.667
St. Louis	1	2	.333
Boston	0	3	.000
Cincinnati	0	3	.000

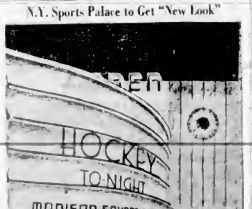
Saturday's Results: Brooklyn 11, Philadelphia 4; Pittsburgh 7, Cincinnati 1; New York 16, Boston 6; Chicago 8, St. Louis 3.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Games	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	3	0	1.000
Washington	3	0	1.000
Boston	2	1	.667
New York	2	1	.667
Chicago	1	1	.500
Detroit	1	2	.333
Philadelphia	0	2	.000
St. Louis	0	3	.000

Saturday's Results: Washington 3, Philadelphia 2; Cleveland 4, Detroit 1; New York 7, Boston 2; Chicago at St. Louis, cold.

N.Y. Sports Palace to Get "New Look"



Above is sketch of main entrance to proposed new Madison Square Garden in New York City. Construction should begin shortly now that Governor Dewey has signed bill authorizing investment of $25,000,000 in one of continent's largest exposition halls and sports arenas.

Scots, Reds Play to 3-3 Draw In First Match of Playdowns

VANCOUVER, April 24 (CP).—Although they dominated play for the majority of the 60 minutes Frank Hunter's North Shore Reds today considered themselves rather fortunate in having gained a 3-3 draw with St. Andrews here Saturday in the opener of a best-of-three series for the Coast Soccer League championship.

Placed with a 3-1 deficit going into the final seven minutes of play the Reds suddenly came to life, scoring in a pair of crowness within just a minute to gain the draw. Second tallie up the series, goes Wednesday night, with the third slated for next Saturday.

North Shore spent most of the afternoon firing away at the Scots net, but some spectacular work on the part of Goalie Bobby Newbold and a stubborn defence held them off until the closing stages of the tilt.

Played in a steady drizzle the greater part of the day, which made the field a sea of mud, neither team was able to flash the usual form and as a result the contest was more of a hack-and-run variety.

Neither side was able to score in the first half, though the Norsemen missed enough opportunities to make their win decisive.

Reds' left winger, Cece Goodchap, opened the scoring when Reds' outsider, Ian Mackay, who had a poor day, pulled in his trickling corner at 7:30.

Ambler evened matters ten

Czech Net Body Asks Players To Be Sent Home

PRAGUE, April 24 (CP).—Sokol, the Government-controlled central athletic organization, today asked the Italian Tennis Federation to send Jaroslav Drobny and three other Czech players from further tournaments in Italy and send them home to Prague.

Dr. Josef Berti, secretary of the Czech Tennis Federation, wrote the Italian federation the order upon instructions from the central body.

Drobny, Vladimir Cernik and Milan Malusa, members of the Czech Davis Cup team, and the women star, Helena Sirnahova, were scheduled to play in Palermo, in Sicily, today and tomorrow.

The drastic action was taken by Sokol, Berti said, because Drobny and Cernik had failed to keep an engagement to play in Budapest yesterday. The other two players were not exempted from the order, although they were not scheduled for Budapest.

At Mondello, Sicily, where they were staying, the Czech stars told a reporter early today that they intended to return here in ten days to be in training for Davis Cup play. They are scheduled to play Brazil in Prague, May 8-10.

Mainland Horse In Easy Victory

SAN MATEO, Calif., April 24 (AP).—Taking command at the first turn and leading all the way, Mistaria, the $10,000 added Bay Meadows Handicap at Bay Meadows today by two lengths.

The time for the mile and one-sixteenth was 1:42 4-5.

The race was regarded as a preview of the $50,000 added mile and one-eighth Bay Meadows Handicap scheduled for a week from today and Mistaria showed his heels to his chief rivals for what will be the richest event of the meeting. Mistaria is owned by Mrs. Charles Thomson of Vancouver, B.C.

Ambiion finished strong in the stretch to take second but could not gain on the leader. Miss Doreen was third and Black Fl was fourth.

Carpet Bowling

Results of matches played in the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling tournament last week follow:

Open doubles: Drummond and Thomas 21, Hunter and Cruickshank 18; Drummond and Thomas 21, Whittle and Gowen 17; Hunter and Cruickshank 21, Parsons and Morris 17; Whittle and Gowen 21, Parsons and Morris 17; Hunter and Cruickshank 21, Whittle and Gowen 17.

Open singles: Drummond 21, Cuddy 17; Drummond 21, Hunter 17; Drummond 21, Whittle and Gowen 17; Drummond 21, Thomas 17; Drummond 21, Whittle and Gowen 17.

Mixed doubles: Hunter and Cruickshank 21, Whittle and Gowen 17; Hunter and Cruickshank 21, Thomas 17; Hunter and Cruickshank 21, Beddis 18; McKenzie and Mrs. Mouat 21, Whittle and Gowen 17; McKenzie and Mrs. Mouat 21, Whittle and Gowen 17.

Mixed singles: Mrs. Mouat 21, Beddis 18; McKenzie and Mrs. Mouat 21, Whittle and Gowen 17; McKenzie and Mrs. Mouat 21, Whittle and Gowen 17.

Ladies doubles: Mrs. Mouat 21, Beddis 18; McKenzie and Mrs. Mouat 21, Whittle and Gowen 17; McKenzie and Mrs. Mouat 21, Whittle and Gowen 17.

Ladies singles: Mrs. Mouat 21, Beddis 18; McKenzie and Mrs. Mouat 21, Whittle and Gowen 17; McKenzie and Mrs. Mouat 21, Whittle and Gowen 17.

Men's doubles: Hunter and Cruickshank 21, Whittle and Gowen 17; Hunter and Cruickshank 21, Thomas 17; Hunter and Cruickshank 21, Whittle and Gowen 17.

Men's singles: Hunter and Cruickshank 21, Whittle and Gowen 17; Hunter and Cruickshank 21, Thomas 17; Hunter and Cruickshank 21, Whittle and Gowen 17.

City Elevens Split In Juvenile Finals

CP Victoria juvenile soccer club captured a provincial title, another fell by the wayside and a third played to an overtime tie at Vancouver yesterday.

A telegram from Coach Herb Mitchell informed The Colonist last night that his Pacific Meat club had lifted the Division III title, but the score was not announced.

Tillicum Junior Division IV bowed to defeat, dropping a 6-1 decision to Price's Merchants.

Balmoral Thistles and Kerrisdale played to a 2-2 overtime tie in the Division V final. The teams will meet here next Saturday in a replay.

My Request Earns Louisville Trip

NEW YORK, April 24 (AP).—Ben Whitaker's My Request turned up the sixth in the stretch today to trim ten other three-year-olds in the 34th running of the Wood Memorial before 46,711 persons at Jamaica.

A 40-to-1 shot, C. T. Whitney's Mount Marcy, was second, while King Ranch's Better Self finished third.

Made the even-money favorite in the field of Kentucky Derby eligibles, My Request earned himself a trip to Louisville for the Derby classic next Saturday by turning in a sparkling performance.

He sped the mile and one-sixteenth in 1:40 1-5 and rewarded his backers with $4, $3.20 and $2.60 for 2.

My Request, picking up $24,800 for his victory, will be shipped Monday to Kentucky.

Intermediate Cup Games Rained Out

Province Cup matches scheduled for city intermediate soccer elevens yesterday were washed out, according to Ted Westover, secretary of the local association.

Matches will be postponed until next Saturday at the same parks at 3:45 p.m.

Racing Results At Garden State

FIRST RACE—Maiden, 3-year-olds, 6f. Jodi Griffin 4.80 3.40 2.80 Vinita D. Bert Morning 3.00 2.60 2.20

SECOND RACE—Claiming, 3-year-olds, 6f. Water Chief 4.60 3.20 2.80 Hal 3.20 2.80 2.40 Sun Ruler 2.80 2.40 2.20 Breakfast Year's Print, Andhowan

THIRD RACE—Claiming, 3-year-olds, 6f. Dim Fever 4.40 3.20 2.80 Ruby Ruler 2.80 2.40 2.20 Bayonet Reckoned, Ten Ounces

FOURTH RACE—Claiming, 3-year-olds, 6f. Do-Ma Joe 10.20 7.40 6.20 Ruby Ruler 3.40 3.00 2.80 Pinto

SIXTH RACE—Claiming, 3-year-olds, 6f. Zamboni 3.40 3.00 2.80 Sonora 2.80 2.60 2.40

SEVENTH RACE—Claiming, 3-year-olds, 6f. High Tide 17.20 11.40 8.20 Ruby Ruler 3.40 3.00 2.80 Bronzed Naval Base

EIGHTH RACE—Claiming, 3-year-olds, 6f. Dr. Bolt 11.20 9.20 6.40 Ruby Ruler 3.20 2.80 2.60 Bronzed

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Claiming, 3-year-olds, 6f. Well Informed 116 Mr. Gamester 117 Ruby Ruler 117 Sun Ruler 117 Lucky Dollar 117 Water Chief 117 Hal 117 Gaylord 117 Gaylord Reckoned, Ten Ounces 117 Breakfast Year's Print, Andhowan 117 Vinita D. Bert Morning 117 Dim Fever 117 Ruby Ruler 117 Bayonet 117 Pinto 117

SECOND RACE—Claiming, 3-year-olds and up, 6f. Ruby Ruler 117 Hard Hearing 117 Sonora 117 Zamboni 117 Lucky Dollar 117 Sun Ruler 117 Gaylord 117 Sportsmanship 117 Pinto 117 Lucky Lewis 116 Lucky Lewis 116 Gaylord Reckoned, Ten Ounces 117 Bayonet 117 Bayonet 117 Bayonet

Manchester United Wins Prized Association Cup

LONDON April 24 (Reuters)—Manchester United won the diverting Football Association Cup before 99,000 soccer fans at Wembley Stadium here today when they downed Blackpool, 4-2. Blackpool led at half time, 2-1.

It was the first time in 30 year that Manchester United reached Cup victory was in 1909 when they defeated Bristol City, 1-0.

In royal blue shirts and white shorts, Manchester played a fast dazzling game but only managed to win the Cup by sheer stamina after being one goal down at half time. It was one of the most thrilling finals seen at Wembley for years and both teams won not only hysterical applause from their supporters, but excited approval from the King and Queen Princess, Princess Margaret, Prime Minister Attlee, and Manchester Mayor Lord Simon.

Manchester were the heroes of the day but Blackpool, in contrasting white shirts and black shorts, gave them a tough fight for three-quarters of the game.

Queen's Park Rangers 1; Newcastle United 0

Bradford Park Avenue 0; Tottenham Hotspur 1; Wolverhampton Wanderers 1; Bolton Wanderers 1

THIRD DIVISION NORTHERN

Chester 0; Rochdale 0; Crewe 3; Stoke Aleksandra 1; Hull City 1; Darlington 0; Doncaster 1; Gateshead 1; Hartlepools United 1; Halifax Town 1; Southport 0; Mansfield Town 1; Bradford City 1; Rotherham United 1; Stockport County 2; Barrow 1; Tranmere Rovers 0; Halifax Town 1; York City 1; Barrow 0

OTHER MATCHES

Aldershot 1; Southampton 0; Bournemouth 1; Reading 1; Northampton 1; Colne 2; Gravesend 1; Hartlepools 1

DIVISION 3

Yeovil 1; Mitcham 0; Ilfracombe 1; Bournemouth 1; Plymouth 1; Torquay 1; Bath 1; Exeter 1; Swindon 1; Cheltenham 1; Newport 1; Brentford 1; Southampton 1; Aldershot 1; Reading 1; Northampton 1; Colne 2; Gravesend 1; Hartlepools 1

Blackburn, Grimsby Relegated; Birmingham, Newcastle Go Up

LONDON Apr. 24 (Reuters)—While main interest centered in the Football Association Cup final other football rivalries bubbled to boil their positions in the league standing.

Arsenal, already assured of the league championship, drew 0-0 with Manchester City. Blackburn Rovers, in spite of defeating Sheffield United 4-0 will be relegated to the Second Division next season. Grimsby, defeated 3-1 by Charlton, also drops down into the Second Division.

Birmingham secured themselves of the Second Division championship by drawing 0-0 with Sheffield Wednesday and will be accompanied into the First Division by Newcastle, which drew 1-1 with Tottenham Hotspur. Doncaster Rovers, losing 2-0 to Luton Town, and Millwall, which defeated Coventry City 4-2, both are relegated to the Third Division.

Queen's Park Rangers strengthened their claims to the Third Division Southern honors beating Newport County 1-0. But Bournemouth defeating Bristol Rovers 2-1, still retain a slender chance. With two matches to play, Queen's Park Rangers lead by four points.

In the battle for Third Division Northern honors, Rotherham United were beaten 2-0 by Lincoln City. Each now has one match to play, with Lincoln holding a one-point lead.

Only four games were played in the Scottish League Division "A." East Fife stayed at the head of Scottish League Division "B," defeating Albion Rovers 4-1.

LONDON, April 24 (Reuters)—Results of soccer games played today in the United Kingdom:

FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION CUP

Blackpool 3 Manchester United 4

(After extra time)

FIRST DIVISION

Aston Villa 2, Liverpool 1; Blackburn Rovers 4 Sheffield United 0; Chelsea 3, Grimsby 1; Everton 1, Sunderland 0; Huddersfield Town 0, North End 1; Derby 1, Portsmouth 2; Grimsby Town 1, Charlton Athletic 3; Middlesbrough 1, Arsenal 0; Stoke 1, Manchester City 1; Arsenal 0; Bradford 1, Middlesbrough 3; Wolverhampton Wanderers 1, Bolton Wanderers 1

SECOND DIVISION

Brentford 1, Barnsley 1; Burnley, Leicester City 2; Cardiff 1, Birmingham 0; Charlton 1, Fulham 1; Doncaster Rovers 0, Leicester 2; Luton Town 2, Doncaster 0; Millwall 2, Coventry City 4; Southampton 2, Nottingham Forest 1; Sheffield Wednesday 0, Birmingham City 0

Southampton 2, Nottingham Forest 1; Swansea Town 1, Bury 1; Tottenham Hotspur 1, Newcastle United 1; West Ham United 1, Leeds United 1.

THIRD DIVISION SOUTHERN

Brighton 1, Walsall City 1; Reading 1, Northampton 1; Bristol Rovers 1, Newport County 2; Bristol Rovers 1, Newport County 2; Aldershot 1, Southampton 1; Reading 1, Northampton 1; Colne 2, Gravesend 1; Hartlepools 1; Southampton 1, Aldershot 1; Reading 1, Northampton 1; Colne 2, Gravesend 1; Hartlepools 1

Schools Plan Track Meet Here May 21

Plans for the annual Greater Victoria Inter-high school track and field meet took another step towards completion when the conducting committee of both girls' and boys' Inter-High Sports Council met recently to discuss preliminary details.

Six schools will compete in the meet on the afternoon of May 21 with Victoria Oak Bay, Esquimalt, Mount View, Mount Douglas and Central Junior high schools providing the entries. Students whose sixteenth birthday had not yet arrived on January 1 of this year will be classed as juniors. All others must enter senior competition.

This year, for the first time, entries from the gentler sex will swell the list of competitors to such a point that preliminary heats and, in some cases, finals will be run off before the day of the meet. Junior track eliminations will be held on Monday, May 17, the same day as senior field eliminations. Senior track and junior field elimations will take place on May 18.

The new schedule of events for girls will be as follows:

Juniors: 60 yards, 100 yards, broad jump, high jump, 220 yards relay team of four each running 55-yard legs.

Seniors: 60 yards, 100 yards, broad jump, high jump, discus (open), 440-yard relay team of four each running 110-yard legs.

Boys will add the hop-step-jump to the card together with the discus throw. All other events will be the same as last year.

Allen Gregory and Ernie Cosham of Oak Bay High School compiler the press and publicity committee. Joe Andrews and Bill Roper of Victoria High make up the grounds committee, and Hugh Farquhar and Jack Wallace of Oak Bay High will be in charge of program arrangement. Roy Temple, Esquimalt, Sheila Stanley, Victoria High and Ernie Cosham form the rules committee. As usual, members of all committees will receive a whole-hearted support from staff members of all competing schools.

SPEND TO CONSERVE

Pulp and paper mills spend annually millions on roadways, fire towers and telephone lines desired to maintain the output of their forests.

High School Loop Opens on Tuesday

The Oldie' Inter-High School Softball League will start its week with opening games at Vic High, Mount View and Oak Bay on Tuesday at 3.30 p.m.

The complete schedule follows:

April 27—Vic High Blacks vs Mount View; Vic High Reds vs Oak Bay at Oak Bay; Mount View Red vs Oak Bay vs Esquimalt.

May 4—Vic High Blacks vs Oak Bay at Oak Bay; Mount Douglas vs Oak Bay; Central Mount View vs Esquimalt.

May 11—Esquimalt vs Vic High Blacks; Mount Douglas vs Oak Bay; Mount Douglas vs Oak Bay at Vic High.

May 18—Mount Douglas vs Vic High Blacks at Mount View; Vic High Reds vs Mount View at Oak Bay; Esquimalt vs Mount Douglas at Esquimalt.

Please address all queries to Cartoonist Ripley, c/o King Features, New York City, N.Y.

Auto Race Fans Assured Of Gala Opener May 1

Fans can look for better racing events. One of the chief objections more cars, and improved speed will be the handsome prize of $250 offered to the thrill-the-thousand-fan first break the track record of 16 seconds flat.

The top car at the speedway last year, George Davis' No. 1, which Digger Caldwell piloted to many triumphs, has been particularly repaired during the Winter months.

A new car to the Langford oval will be the special plum job owned by Jack and Harry Ortwein and which also incorporates the use of hydraulic brakes.

Howard Stanley is replacing the motor in his "Flying Saucer." A newcomer to racing is Harold Brown, now owner of No. 21 car, entered last year by Jack Patterson. Burg Eng, daredevil Chinese driver will sport a new car.

Among the American drivers competing Saturday will be Del Pangborn, who last year won his No. 1 insignia due to his ranking as PNW champ of the United States. A new car for the brother Zeke Zeigler, Pike Green, and Chuck Hertz are others. It is hoped to have popular Buddy Green of Victoria, pilot car No. 15, nicknamed "The Molar," which is slated to be shipped to Victoria from Seattle.

Junior Golf Meet Separate Tourney

VANCOUVER, April 24 (CP)—The British Columbia junior golf championship tournament this year will be on its own.

In other years, the championship was played in conjunction with the qualifying round of the British Columbia amateur tournament. Now the juniors will quit the auxiliary role.

The junior champion will be decided by a two-day 72-hole medal test at Vancouver Golf and Country Club, May 20-21. A province-wide entry is expected.

The winner will automatically become the British Columbia junior representative at the Dominion championships at Ancaster, Ont., July 12.

Pro Cage League To Cement Plans For Enlargement

SEATTLE April 24 (AP)—The Pacific Coast Pro Basketball League's plan to spread its wings over California will reach the decision stage in a meeting next week-end at Portland.

Al Maloney of the Seattle Athletics said today the expanded league would have Northern and Southern divisions, probably with five teams each. The league has been strictly a Northern setup.

San Francisco, Oakland, San Jose, Fresno, Stockton and Sacramento will be represented for the South. Maloney said Northern cities to be represented are Portland, Seattle, Bellingham and Vancouver, which played the complete season this year. Tacoma, which started but failed to last, and Everett, a new bidder.

Maloney said Oakland, San Francisco and San Jose had been accepted by the league at a previous session.

SOFTBALL MEETING

A meeting of all managers of women's softball teams has been called for tomorrow evening at the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion at 8. All teams are asked to have representatives present.

Stranahan Upset

PINEHURST, N.C., April 24 (AP)—Harvie Ward, 26-year-old University of North Carolina junior, upset favorite Frank Stranahan 1 up in a tense 36-hole North and South amateur golf tournament final match today.

The slim North Carolinian moved to the front on the short 17th in the morning round and never was behind thereafter, although medalist Stranahan did manage to draw even twice in the afternoon.

Acrobats were well known among the Romans and Greeks especially for their feats on tight and slack ropes.

Clown Prince Of Tennis Wants Action

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24 (AP)—Tennis Pro Frank Kramer, who has been idling his time around here, has steamed up suddenly and wants action.

The so-called "clown prince" of tennis, who has been in the pro game since 1934, is ready to take on any challenger. Kramer, who various times has put up stakes any claims that Jack Kramer pounds, plans to play a series of in currently the best player indoors, exhibitions in the East shortly.

Kramer, now the latest star before the indoor series between Kramer and Bobby Riggs, in which rugby pack lately turned professional, was "adding Shorty Riggs by practically three to one.

"They can't kill this series for the indoor championship," said Kramer forthrightly. The reason is that I am the world's professional indoor champion. I won the title in 1948 from Welby Van Horn in San Francisco. It was a well represented field. I have not been challenged by any player since then. Until I am, the world's championship is mine."

Kramer, who is also a top golf player, plans to play a series of exhibitions in the East shortly.

Asia, the largest continent, has some medicinal salts which contains about one-third of the earths rhubarb when mixed with lemon juice and one-twelfth of the juice provide the acid in lemon dry land and one-twelfth of the juice provide the acid in lemon whole surface of the globe. Also dissolving tooth surfaces.

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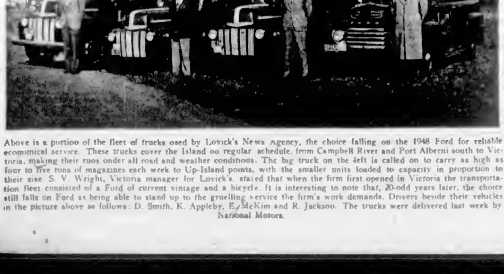

Above is a portion of the fleet of trucks owed by Lovick's News Agency, the choice falling on the 1948 Ford for reliable economical service. These trucks cover the Island on regular schedule, from Campbell River and Port Alberni south to Victoria, making their runs under all road and weather conditions. The big truck on the left is called on to carry as high as four to five tons of magazines each week to Up-Island points, with the smaller units loaded to capacity in proportion to their size. S. V. Wright, Victoria manager for Lovick's, stated that when the firm first opened in Victoria the transportation fleet consisted of a Ford of current vintage and a bicycle. It is interesting to note that, 20-odd years later, the choice still falls on Ford as being able to stand up to the gruelling service the firm's work demands. Drivers beside their vehicles in the picture above as follows: D. Smith, K. Appleby, E. McKim and R. Jackson. The trucks were delivered last week by National Motors.

I'LL WAIT FOR YOU

MARGARET LEAHAN NICHOLS

CHAPTER XXII

"Will you always think of me as office The Edwina Burke you knew an impetuous eighteen-year-old ing to her me way? People grow up, like Alan, and I've grown up. And if you really want to know about me, know I feels . . . I'm in love. I'm falling the Edwina Burke you knew to clean up my debts and charm

(typing job in Norman Alexander's been giving herself for her pay

He said slowly. "I'm not as smart I as I thought I was. I didn't think I had ever find out but I'm glad I'm glad it's all over. I'm not going to run away. I'm going to stay and take it

Harriet was frank a was. Harriet told everything to you

He winced as she had winced when Dick told her. Not could she still his nerves. Rising, he walked several paces away from her and, with his back to her, said, "That's what I've been afraid of since the night Carol suggested that he liked me as well he'd make me his heir. I wanted to stop then but I was in it and I made plans to build a house and I needed the money. You'd better go They may come and find you here I'm in this alone. Carol doesn't know

"Why did you do it Alan? You didn't need money desperately. You were doing well without it. I've heard

"I can't go into details now. I did it and I'll face the consequences. I've been living in hell ever since it started, kidding myself that I was getting away with it. It was like living close to a train and you hear every day that you'll forget yourself and walk into it. You'd better go. I suppose I should thank you

"Don't bother . . .

But by the time she reached the door and had her hand on the knob, she could not go. Sensitivity plagued her. Her old insatiable curiosity stirred in her. She thought.

"Why won't you tell me why you did it, Alan?"

He turned, the movement was slow and heavy

"Why did I do it? Are right. I'll tell you. He was breathing as if breathing hurt. I've had a plan in my life for far too long. You walked out on the scandal and quality but I had to stay with it. I had to listen to it and live with it

"One day on a bus I heard two women talking. They had a newspaper with your picture on the front page. One woman asked, "Who is Alan Harding?" and other woman said, "Oh, he's a nobody. Married him for her money and now she's left him." A nobody . .

"Well, for five years I've worked for one thing—to cease being a nobody and to be a somebody. The people here never knew the truth. It was a joke to them. I was the joke. You were Edwina Burke and I was a nobody. People smiled behind their hands. And my mother was hurt and embarrassed and she never hurt or embarrassed anybody. I learned then how cruel people can be and I decided to give it back to them with everything I had

peating Alan's question. "That's what I'm trying to find out myself. But here as she thought. I'm falling in love with I am, betraying Dick's confidence and giving you a chance to defend yourself when they come for you

"I have to defend you sell or run away

When he removed his hands and she saw his face, rugged and gulley, he looked him with all her heart

He said slowly. "I'm not as smart I as I thought I was. I didn't think I had ever find out but I'm glad it's all over. I'm not going to run away. I'm going to stay and take it

Alan said, "I've allowed a year my mother would go to pieces. Too sensitive you may think. Yes, our neighbors have held their shoulders in people who were laughing at her I saw Dick Carol. I saw Dick Carol. I saw Dick Carol live in shame for money and position. I wanted to show you and the blind pack of them! I wanted people to come to this nobody and his mother

qualities I began with. Little wife was tough and I was tough. And slowly I began to dig my way out, to make a little money to wear decent clothes, to live in a decent place, to give my mother a few of the luxuries she'd never had. But it was too slow! Then I began to take money from Mr Harriet . . . I had to make the grade quickly. I thought I was impatient. I couldn't wait. I didn't want anyone to see hard I had matured a bitter Closing his eyes tightly, he said, Carol . . . Carol

Edwina said, "You've never been happy in your life have you, Alan? It's been all fight and struggle, hasn't

He nodded. "You can't be happy with a sword hanging over your head. Not with me, guilty and I don't want your sympathy. I did a rotten thing. I've never done that to deceive myself into thinking that it was anything but rotten

Edwina hands were frozen now the knuckles were white

"But it all goes back to me—to my childishness and my dishonesty. The things you do when you are spoiled and you think you should be forgiven because you are young and foolish! There were tears in Edwina's eyes she said, "I haven't anything to offer you now except myself. I'll give that and I'll stand by. At least I won't be against you"

Ma looked at her as if he were seeing her actually for the first time since she came

"That's decent of you. I've been rude and cruel to you. Why should you care what happens to me?"

"I do care. I cared enough to marry you once."

"You should be very glad you aren't married to me now. You'd better go."

"Is there anything I can do?"

"No. I'll stay"

"Dick doesn't like this job of his here, Alan"

"I'm guilty. I'd do the same if I were in his place. When her hands turned the knob, he said, "Thanks Edwina.

The streets were almost deserted when she came out and walked to her car. She sat there quite a long time before she drove away. She would go to Mr Harriet, she thought, and beg him to drop the charges against Alan.

But how could she make the old blind man understand what had happened to Alan five years ago? How could she make anybody understand the humiliation of a boy and his mother, people laughing and pointing to the boy Edwina Burke had stood with for a thrill, a caprice on her part, they thought, and on his part the desire to marry her for her money. Alan was an admitted embezzler and that fact stood strongly against the seeds of base and bitterness planted five years ago by a spoiled, willful girl who had thought only of herself and who had conveniently run away from what she had done.

No, she would go to Carol and tell him and spare Alan the painful task. Certainly she could not go home and be alone with her sense of guilt. Carol came downstairs to welcome Edwina and at sight of her, disturbed, she thought of Norman. Had something had happened to Norman. They went in the living room together and nervously Edwina lighted a cigarette as she looked cautiously about her

"Is your father here?"

"No. He was called out before I came in from shopping. Are you ill?"

"No. A little jittery, that's all. How to tell her—how to tell her that the boy she loved would be arrested . . . To put off what she had to do, she said, "This is a charming room, Carol

Carol sniffed "Thank you. You can cover a multitude of sins with chintz . . . But her eyes were waiting, questioning, troubled. What had brought Edwina at an office in the afternoon to all, smoking furiously in her living room? She felt that she could bear no more drama, no more good-bye . . . And she thought, again how strange it was that she felt nothing but friendliness toward The girl who had made Alan an embezzler. Had not Norman said, "Edwina is a girl you can trust

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1 BIRTHS

MACKEZIE — Carol and Ralph MacKenzie (nee Mooney) proudly announce the birth of a daughter, Pamela Ann, April 23, 1948.

MYTON—On April 22, 1948 to Montreal to Jeanne, wife of Stanley James Myton, a daughter.

WHITELEY—Born April 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Whiteley (nee Jean Ross Stone), at Humboldtown, Kansas, a son, Christopher Ronald.

2 MARRIAGES

BYRTNOT-BARRING—The marriage of Dorothy Mae Barring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barring, and the late Norman Byrtnot, son of Mr. and Mrs. Byrtnot, of Duncan, Alberta, United States, on April 24, 1948, at Victoria, B.C., by Rev. Canon Quainton.

BOWMAN-BRAILSFORD—On April 3, 1948 in St. John's Church, Toronto, by Reverend Canon Vernon and Lieutenant-Colonel Ernest Brailsford, Lorna Mae Bowman to Kenneth Brailsford.

DAVIES-CATHCART—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cathcart, 65 Logan Avenue, announce the marriage of their son Jack Cathcart to Viola Mary, to Robert Henry Davies, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davies, on April 17, 1948, at Victoria, Rev. Canon Quainton officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Davies will reside at 1011 Johnson Street.

3 DEATHS

BOTTRIGHT—On April 21, 1948 at the Victoria General Hospital, Ernest Bottright, aged 71 years, beloved husband of Mrs. Bottright, of Langford, Brother of Mrs. Ethel Bottright, Victoria, and Mrs. Ethel Bottright, Victoria, and Mrs. Ethel Bottright, Victoria, and

Complete Radio Programs for Monday

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CFJC—560 m

6:00 News
6:05 Music at Suppertime
6:15 Sports Review
6:30 News
6:45 Dick Tracy
7:00 Fred Allen
7:30 Bob Burns
8:00 Bob Burns
8:15 Lux Radio Theatre
9:00 Bob Burns
9:15 Sports Review
9:30 Music Maestro
9:45 Make Music Mine
10:00 Kidnapped
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10:45 Kidnapped
11:00 News
11:05 Dance Time
11:30 Sign Off

CBR—1130 kc.

6:00 News
6:05 Breakfast Club
6:30 Breakfast Club
7:00 News
7:15 B.C. Dairy
7:30 Farm Forum
8:00 Breakfast Club
8:30 Modern Mountain
9:00 News
9:05 Shady Lady
9:30 Happy Gang
10:00 Ma Perkins
10:15 Young Dr. Malone
10:30 Kitchen Kapers
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Three-room stucco cross-bungalow, in good condition, with hardwood floors throughout, tile bathroom, living-room with fireplace, Duotrol Electric Range, Duotrol Electric Refrigerator, Duotrol Electric Water Heater, full cement basement, furnace, fuel oil, fruit trees, garden, lawn, and a good chicken-house. Price $9,000. Terms.

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$8500 — FAIRFIELD: Two-story stucco house, three large rooms downstairs and bathroom. Upstairs there are three rooms, with sink in one room. Full basement, with furnace. Full price, only $8500. Terms: Cash, or cash equity, balance as rent. Apply Gillespie, Hart & Co., Ltd., Real Estate Department.

$7950 — VACANT BOLLYWOOD CRESCENT: Six-room lower floor, Bathroom, hardwood floors throughout, large kitchen, dining room, living-room with fireplace and kitchen. Garden three sides, garage, cement floors, large lawns, fruit trees, shrubs, etc. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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Evenings: Alston 4177

$3300 — TOTAL PRICE, SEVEN PROOFS: FAIRFIELD JAMES BAY: Two-story house, Bathroom, Kitchen, Dining-room, Living-room, Bedroom, Sun-porch, Full basement, Hot-air furnace, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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$8500 — FAIRFIELD DISTRICT: HOME AND ESTATE: Lower floor, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$11,500 — DALLAS ROAD: Beautiful home, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Breakfast-room, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$8950 — BEL-AIR PARK: Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$7500 — OAK BAY: Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$7000 — FAIRFIELD: Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$6500 — FAIRFIELD: Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$6850 — FAIRFIELD: Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$7250 — HAULTAIN—FERNWOOD: Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$8400 — HOT WATER HEAT IT MUST BE SOLD!

This is a one-floor home, well arranged, stucco and good fire service. Bedroom hall, Bathroom, Kitchen, Dining-room, Living-room, good-size kitchen. Upstairs there are two bedrooms, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$8500 — CITY LIMITS: Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$9500 — R. H. DAVIES REALTY LTD.

$10,000 — OAK BAY: SOUTH OF THE AVENUE—ON-O-MAIN: Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$8750 — Rithet Consolidated, Ltd.

$12,600 — OAK BAY: SEVEN ROOMS SOUTH OF THE AVENUE: Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$14,750 — BRAND NEW: LOVELY VIEW: Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$6150 — R. H. DAVIES REALTY LTD.

$8400 — HEATH'S

$5000 — GORGE DISTRICT: Close to all conveniences, Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$5750 — J. H. WHITTOME & CO. LIMITED

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$8400 — CITY: High location, close to town. Choice of two bedrooms, Bathroom, Kitchen, Dining-room, Living-room, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$8500 — JAMES BAY: Small bungalow of 4 rooms, 2 bedrooms, New oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$11,000 — FAIRFIELD: Bungalow of 6 rooms, 3 bedrooms, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$7950 — OAK BAY: Fine-room modern bungalow of 4 rooms, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$13,650 — GONZALES DISTRICT: An outstanding-looking stucco residence of 6 rooms, 3 bedrooms, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$16,000 — UPLANDS: A very fine home, well built with delightful view and magnificent every really desirable feature, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$7250 — CITY LIMITS: Bungalow of 4 rooms, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$7350 — FAIRFIELD: A good buy in a real comfort bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$26,500 — Please ask for Mr. C. B. Pearkes

$8750 — OFF HAULTAIN SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW WITH BASEMENT: Very convenient to town, close to car-stop. Three bedrooms on one floor. Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$6300 — Rithet Consolidated, Ltd.

$10,800 — OAK BAY: CLOSE TO SEA AND TRANSPORTATION: Five-room stucco Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$12,000 — HIGH QUADRA: SPLENDID STUCCO BUNGALOW: Four bedrooms, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$7350 — DEAN HEIGHTS: STUCCO BUNGALOW: Four modern rooms, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$6150 — SELECT AREA—ESQUIMALT: Stucco Bungalow of 4 rooms, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$7950 — WATERFRONT SPECIAL: Stucco Bungalow of 4 rooms, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$2350 — Ben Hays Page-Wilson

$10,000 — GOVERNMENT ST: Modern Bungalow of 4 rooms, 2 bedrooms, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$8400 — JAMES BAY: Bungalow of 4 rooms, 2 bedrooms, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$13,650 — LANGFORD: Stucco Bungalow of 4 rooms, 3 bedrooms, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$16,000 — CITY: Stucco Bungalow of 4 rooms, 3 bedrooms, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$7250 — FAIRFIELD: Stucco Bungalow of 4 rooms, 2 bedrooms, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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OAK BAY SOUTH OF THE AVENUE

On a nice street, close to the beach, Modern Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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COUNTRY-HOME

Five acres, with beautiful view, close to town, Modern Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$8500

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FAIRFIELD

New semi-bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$10,500

JUBILEE DISTRICT

Very convenient, fine-room Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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VICTORIA WEST

A semi-detached Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$6800

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GORGE

New white stucco Bungalow four large rooms, five outlets, electric stove, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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This room stucco semi-Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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Very large room home with lots of garden and good view. Choice location. Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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Six-room Timber-stucco home, Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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A nice home with "atmosphere" situated on one of the best streets in Oak Bay, close to schools and shopping district. This home is two-floor, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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NORTH QUADRA

On quiet street, close to schools and shopping centre, Modern stucco Bungalow, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Through hall, Large bedroom, Bathroom, Sun-porch, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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Unobstructed panoramic view over Strait of Juan de Fuca, Modern Bungalow, Hardwood, 4-bedroom, 2-bathroom, 2-story-and-basement, Living-room, Dining-room, Kitchen, Sun-porch, Sliding-door, Oak and Birch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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$6950

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$4950 CASH

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SAANICH

We highly recommend this outstanding buy. Fine large rooms on main floor, Hardwood floors throughout, Beautiful hardwood floors, All large bedrooms upstairs, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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Eight rooms, Plumbing up and down, Two kitchens, Bathroom, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

$6800

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South of the Avenue—Two furnished self-contained flats, Four rooms up and down, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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$4750 — Four rooms and bathroom, Hardwood floors throughout, Oil-fired hot-water heating, Cedar lined, Cozy porch, Cabinet kitchen with Electric range, Hot-water tank, Wiring, Plumbing, Lot 50 x 120 feet, Concrete foundation, Concrete floors, Garage. Terms: $1,000 cash, balance $30 per month, including interest. Will give Buyer about 16% on investment.

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$6975

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$11,000

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JUBILEE BAY—Modern 5-room stucco bungalow, hardwood floors throughout, tile-fitted bathroom, kitchen with range included. Electric range (stove) range included. Full basement, hot-water heating, furnace and equipment. Nicely landscaped lot, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $8400

NORTH DOUGLAS—R.M. shake five-room bungalow, hardwood floors throughout, tile-fitted bathroom, kitchen with range included, Alaska wood type fuel, hot-water heating, full basement, nice lot, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $8200

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Another beautiful home for a large family home or good revenue property. A modern home with every convenience. Hardwood floors throughout, tile-fitted bathroom, living-room with fireplace, game and dining-room, hardwood floors throughout, tile-fitted kitchen with range included, hardwood floors throughout, tile-fitted bathroom, full basement, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic furnace. Nicely landscaped lot, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms arranged. Price $8000

GONZALES—$8500

A 4-room dormer in this lovely district, with a view of the harbor and mountains. Hardwood floors throughout, tile-fitted bathroom, kitchen with range included, full basement, hot-water heating, furnace and equipment, attractive garden and utility room with flower beds. This home is well built and fully arranged to suit the family. Terms arranged. Price $8500

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GOOD LOCATION BY TOLMIE SCHOOL

Small home, two-room dormer, modern lovely living-room with fireplace, large kitchen with range included, tile-fitted bathroom, hardwood floors throughout, full basement, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic and furnace. Nicely landscaped lot, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $6800

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Bungalow, 5 lovely rooms with 3 attractive bedrooms, hardwood floors throughout, Oil-O-Matic furnace and drum-type hot-water heating. Terms. Price $7000

GORGE

Six-room old 4-room stucco bungalow with 2 bedrooms, hardwood floors throughout, tile-fitted bathroom, kitchen, 4-pce. Pembroke range included, full basement, furnace, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic, Pembroke equipment. Lovely garden. Terms. $5775

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Beautiful Tudor style home consisting of: Entrance hall, living-room with fireplace, hardwood floors throughout, dining-room, hardwood floors throughout, kitchen with range included, Alaska wood type fuel, 3 bedrooms, 2 tile-fitted bathrooms, full basement, furnace, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic, hardwood floors throughout, tile-fitted laundry, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $12,500

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Two-bedroom home, low price, very well kept and situated in a secluded position. Living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen with range included, tile-fitted bathroom, full basement, furnace, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $8500

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Very fine home, bungalow situated on nearly acreage with beautiful view, living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen with range included, tile-fitted bathroom, straightforward with hot water and F.P. full basement, furnace, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic, hardwood floors throughout, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $9500

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Almost new brick stucco building containing refrigerated equipment, office and storage, living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen with range included, tile-fitted bathroom, full basement, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic, hardwood floors throughout, garden, etc. Private sight at

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Attractive rental bungalow, comprising living-room, three bedrooms, kitchen, laundry room, three-piece bathroom, garage, garden, hardwood on a down hill garden, etc. Private

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OAK BAY

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OAK BAY SEA VIEW

Charming stucco bungalow on one acre of beautiful grounds. Overlooking the Sea Lagoon, she is affiliated and well-kept home, living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen with range included, tile-fitted bathroom, hardwood floors throughout, full basement, furnace, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $17,500

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This lovely stucco bungalow on a street of fine homes, living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen with range included, full dug, living-room with fireplace, hardwood floors throughout, tile-fitted bathroom, hardwood floors throughout, full basement, furnace, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $9500

OAK BAY

This five-room bungalow consists of living-room, dining-room, kitchen, two bedrooms, tile-fitted bathroom, hardwood floors throughout, full basement, furnace, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $6800

HIGH QUADRA

A very delightful and near four-room stucco bungalow, living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen with range included, tile-fitted bathroom, two bedrooms and beautiful basement, hardwood floors throughout, garden. This is a charming place and every room is well-arranged. Terms. Price $5900

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Four-room log cabin on five acres of land in the West Saanich area. Price $2100

"CITY CENTRE"

An attractive five-room home, all on one floor. Large garden 100 with good soil. Ideal for a gardener. Close to the Colonist. Price reduced and in good condition. Terms. Price $3200

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A cute four-room stucco bungalow in the Gorge area. Hardwood floors throughout, tile-fitted bathroom, full basement, furnace, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $4600

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Reference Bell. Large, living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen with range included, tile-fitted bathroom, full basement, furnace, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $6500

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Well-built bungalow near the sea in this residential district. Living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen with range included, tile-fitted bathroom, full basement, furnace, hot-water heating, Oil-O-Matic, garden, fruit trees, shrubs and lawn. Terms. Price $6850

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Acreage with Cedar Cottage, 2 acres in home fruit, 2 acres in pasture, 2 acres in cultivated fruit, 2 acres in cultivated fruit, 2 acres in cultivated fruit

Ss. Prince George Shown on Trial Runs

C.N.R. Photo

Grey, drizzly skies greeted Ss. Prince George, new coastal passenger ship of Canadian National Steamships, as she underwent preliminary trial runs yesterday in Strait of Juan de Fuca. She is pictured above, heading for the open waters. E. W. Izard, general manager at Yarrows Ltd., reports: "Everything is satisfactory." It is hoped vessel will be delivered to her owners sometime toward end of May. Vessel returned early in afternoon to finishing dock of shipyard.

Trial Run Satisfactory For Ss. Prince George

Marine News

"Everything was very satisfactory," said E. W. Izard, general manager at Yarrows Ltd., after the new Ss. Prince George had returned from her preliminary trial runs yesterday.

The ship, nearing completion for the Canadian National Steamships, left the local yard at 8 a.m. and proceeded to the Straits of Juan de Fuca. She returned to the finishing dock at 2 p.m., in accordance with plans.

Particular attention was given to the ship's engines, other machinery and steering gear, Mr. Izard said. While in the Straits, the trials finished barring the vessel proved full steam astern for a period of 20 minutes.

As yet no definite date has been set for delivery of the Prince George to its owners, the general manager added, but it is hoped the ship will be ready to leave the shipyard on or about May 18.

A number of shipyard officials went with the ship on the trial run, including H. A. Wallace, president and managing director, the yard superintendent engineer, W. D. McLaren.

The ship returned to the finishing dock where work will be continued tomorrow morning.

Plans Visit To Russia

When the St. Lake Biramine, due to leave Vancouver this week for New Zealand where she will load wool, arrives in Odessa, Russia, she will be the first Vancouver ship in many years to take a commercial cargo to Soviet ports.

One of ten city freighters went to Russian ports last year, but they delivered relief cargoes.

Fails to Find Two Mines

The Royal Canadian Navy's motor launch No. 124 has returned to her base at Esquimalt following a six-day search for reported floating Japanese mines which took her around Vancouver Island.

The speedy motor launch carried out a search for a reported mine off Quatsino Inlet, and another north of Masterman Island in the Queen Charlotte Straits. Neither of the mines was located.

223 Teachers Refuse Compromise

SAINT JOHN, N.B., April 24 (CP) — Saint John school teachers, 223 of whom have decided to resign at the end of the present term, yesterday announced they would accept no compromise in their salary demands.

Dispute with the city over salaries led to decision of the teachers to resign in June. There are 303 teachers in the city.

They are asking a new salary scale in which teachers with one year's experience now receiving $1,000 plus the Government grant would get a $100 increase while those with 30 years' experience received a $200 boost.

Meanwhile the city councils and school boards of Moncton, Fredericton and Saint John, planned to discuss combined action in asking the Provincial Government for additional school grants.

Sunrise and Sunset

APRIL

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1948.

Date	Sun. rise	Sun. set	Date	Sun. rise	Sun. set
1	5.55	18.49	16	5.22	19.16
2	5.53	18.50	17	5.20	19.18
3	5.51	18.51	18	5.18	19.19
4	5.49	18.52	19	5.16	19.20
5	5.47	18.53	20	5.14	19.21
6	5.45	18.54	21	5.12	19.22
7	5.43	18.55	22	5.10	19.23
8	5.41	18.56	23	5.08	19.24
9	5.39	18.57	24	5.06	19.25
10	5.37	18.58	25	5.04	19.26
11	5.35	18.59	26	5.02	19.27
12	5.33	19.00	27	5.00	19.28
13	5.31	19.01	28	4.58	19.29
14	5.29	19.02	29	4.56	19.30
15	5.27	19.03	30	4.54	19.31

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Backyard Boat Builders Soon to Launch Craft

A sleek and trim pleasure craft, F. L. Gower, local naval architect, to be named Graham's Belle II, and built and will be powered by a Grey built by his owner and a friend in marine engine. It has sleeping accommodation for four.

This craft was designed by Mr. Graham, 19 Gorge Road West.

Thirty feet overall, and with a nine-foot beam, the boat will soon be loaded into a large truck, transported to the Inner Harbor, and launched at a point behind Top's Marine Service, Gorge Road.

The boat has a "Dee" type bottom, aimed at providing smooth progress up to 6 or ten knots. Her keel is 1½-inch oak ribs are on a nine-inch centre and planking is of seven-eighths of an inch cedar planking. The boat is to be used for cruising in Gulf Islands.

Mr. Graham, with a shipwright friend, Fred Boulter started work on the vessel March 1 of last year. Much of their spare time has been spent on the craft, and they are justly proud of their accomplishment. The craft was designed by Mr. Gower.

Seek Market For Herring

Herring fishery interests of Scotland are working on plans to develop a market in the United States for kippered herring. Already a exercise between San Diego and shipment has been sent to Seattle San Pedro.

In cold storage, but no report has been received to date on the result.

According to reports received from the herring interests of Scotland are also conducting extensive research. It is hoped, through experiments already under way, that between 80 and 100 per cent of the oil extracted from herring may be used in the manufacture of margarine and in the manufacture of linoleum.

Scottish herring fishermen are now experimenting with nets made of nylon, it is reported.

Navy Trains For Combat

SAN DIEGO, Calif., April 24 (AP) — The Southern California coast will be under hypothetical enemy attacks by air and sea for six days next week when the First Task Fleet conducts combat training, the end of the war, Vice-Admiral Murray said approximately 20,000 men, 30 ships and hundreds of planes will take part in the exercises which will simulate battles between aircraft, submarines, surface vessels and and possible combinations of the various weapons.

Boost Shown In Members

Eighteen new members, mostly all owners of their own craft have joined the ranks of the Capital City Yacht Club, it was reported yesterday. The organization now has a fleet of more than 60 cruisers and other vessels.

The club will start its season with a dance at the Crystal Garden on the night of May 6, reports Commodore E. F. Pemberton, who is chairman of the club's social committee.

Headquarters announced yesterday. Representatives of Cadet corps from all across Canada will be guests of Western Command Cadet authorities with transportation and all expenses paid.

Selection will be made on the basis of all-round efficiency, and those chosen will be Master Cadets having completed four years of training with their corps. A full itinerary, including many sports activities has been planned for the group.

Wax paper windows have been devised for chicken houses to admit sunlight and ultra violet light.

Hugh Francis, F. H. Francis, F. D. Brown, T. Kingsmile, B. Irving, C. A. Love, S. H. Harrison, E. Hutchinson, M. Atkins, M. P. Hodgins, Fred Allen, B. L. Sangster, Norman Fleming, J. M. McGuin, Eric Cox, J. R. McKenzie and H. W. Parlier.

One Island Cadet Will Go to Banff

One Canadian Army Cadet, not yet selected, will represent the Vancouver Island area of Western Army Command at the Banff Cadet camp, New Brunswick, are E. B. Wilson, between August 2 and 20. Along light.

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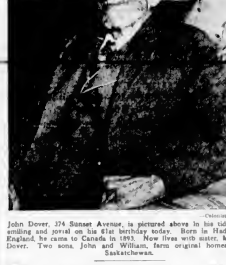

Colonist Photo

John Dover, 374 Sumner Avenue, is pictured above in his daily home, smiling bad proud on his 91st birthday today. Born in Haddenham, England, he came to Canada in 1893. Now lives with sister, Margaret Dover. Two sons, John and William, farm original homestead in Saskatchewan.

91 Today, Claims Work Is Secret of Longevity

Scott, agile and wiry John Dover 374 Sumner Avenue, says there is nothing like hard work to make a man healthy, and he should know.

Celebrating his 91st birthday in his city home near Shoal Bay today the bright-eyed gentleman gives the impression of being far from the end of the trail.

A short while ago, when visiting his property in Saskatchewan, he was being worked by one of his two sons. He was quite proved because his son wouldn't let him hitch up the team to do some chores.

Although he finds it a little hard to hear, his conversation sparkles and his energy is enough to make a young 40-year-old "whippersnapper" hang his head in shame.

Born in Haddenham, England, he came out to the new continent as a married man in 1892 and settled for a time in Yorktown, Man.

Following the great surge of Western migration he moved to Kindahlin, Sask., and there was given charge of a mission.

After several years at the mission the bishop asked him to be ordained, but he decided to take up homesteading. Hard work and energetic earned him land and his land yielded.

In 1922 he came to Vancouver Island and settled in the Marigold district.

When he bought his present property on Sumner Avenue St. was the only home in the district as far as the eye could see.

Today with his sister, Margaret he will quietly celebrate his four score and 11 years, and perhaps take a walk in his garden as the setting sun turns silver threads back to gold.

Attention, Please—Madame Ka, well-known English seer at Paragon Cafe, Port Street (formerly Holly's). Afternoon teas served in attractive surroundings, 2-5.

Britannia Auditorium, Canadian Legion, Friday, April 30, 8 p.m., his special presents, "Days of Glory" and concert. Total proceeds to Canadian appeal for children.

A Salvage Collection for James Bay Equipment and Gorge We collect rags, papers, household matresses and all kinds of bottles. Phone E 3413.

Dr P. J. Rumball, 604 Central Bldg wishes to announce that his practice will be limited to Orthodontia in association with Dr B F Nickelle.

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Paisley Cleaners & Dyers, dry cleaning, dyeing and rug cleaning 1114 Douglas Street. Phone G 3724. You ve do dyeing.

Georgian Chanteers in recital and song, Fairfield United Church, Wednesday, April 28, 8:16 p.m. Admission, 50c.

Stag at Oak Lodge, 4080 Quadra for tea after your Sunday drive Devonshire cream and hot muffins a specialty. Parking area at rear.

Special Notice—Landlords' Protective meeting on April 27 has been changed to April 28 next meeting, Tuesday May 11, 8 p.m. 1416 Douglas Street.

The Chalet, Deep Cove, Chicken dinners, luncheons, teas Please take advance Sunday RSP.

The Shawnigan Beach Hotel Shawnigan Lake, open for the season Friday, April 30.

Rummage Sale, Saturday, May 1, City Market. John Belden Gillespie Chapter, I.O.D.E.

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Announcements

Fascinating Second Film depicting physical and emotional development of earliest childhood will be shown Tuesday, April 27, 8 p.m., Spencer's Auditorium, Chamber of Commerce. Of interest to young parents, nurses and teachers. Film produced by Dr Gesell, Yale Clinic of Child Development. Sponsored by Nursery School Association of Greater Victoria Discussion leader, Violet Ashdown Admission 50c.

Penny Fair arranged by the Rangers, Guides and Brownies of the West district, to be held Memorial Hall, 7:30 p.m., Saturday, May 1, to be opened by Divisional Commissioner Mrs P W Midgley Penny and penny to go, candy, home cooking, miscellaneous stall, side shows, games of skill, refreshment counter. Hi, ho, come to the fair.

Salvage Collection: The Salvation Army will pick up from your door salvage of all kinds Used clothing shoes, furniture, your rags, household mattresses, carpets, rugs, carton boxes, newspapers, magazines, rendered fats, bottles. Why not give it to the Army It is to help others. Phone G 7612.

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Victoria Symphony Concert, with guest artist, Denise Marn, May 3 Box office now open. Spencer's radio department. $2.50, $2, $1.50, $1 Pre-concert preview by R. H. C. Palmer, Empress Hotel, 6 p.m., Sunday, May 2, upstairs.

Calbelle Women's League, Victoria, are holding a tea and musicale in the Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Co., Monday, April 26, from 3 to 6 Door prize. Admission 50c.

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Saanich Hires New Firemen

Eleven men hired as firemen for Saanich will report to Fire Chief Joseph Law on May 1, according to John Tribe, municipal clerk.

The men will be on six months' probation at a starting salary of $150 a month, he said.

New firemen are Harold P. Armitage, Old West Road; S A. Mullin, 448 Walker Avenue; Charles B. Floyd, 532 McKenzie Avenue; Kelly Drive; Charles T. Staples, 920 Easter Road; J O Robinson, 3260 Wickson Street, E Reynolds, 437 Ker Avenue; Lloyd McCorquodale, 3063 Millgrove Street, and George Adams, R.R. 1, Royal Oak.

All Proceeds Of Concert Go to Fund

Canadian Appeal for Children Fund will receive all proceeds from a concert arranged by the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, to be staged at the auditorium Friday, at 8 p.m.

Mrs M A Woodford will direct an historical pageant titled "Days of Glory," which will be presented by the Victoria District Central Girl Guides.

The story revolves around the bravery of outstanding women throughout the ages and will be depicted by the girls in colorful and characteristic costumes of the various periods.

The Legionaire concert party will assist in the entertainment, providing a light vaudeville program.

Full support is requested and tickets may be obtained from Mrs W. Emerton, commissioner of the Victoria Girl Guides, and the Britannia Branch Women's Auxiliary.

Labor Demands Blocked In Four Areas

By The Associated Press

Labor's wage increase demands Saturday were blocked, at least temporarily, in parts of four major industries.

Involved were workers in the steel, meat packing, automotive and electrical appliance industries.

U.S. Steel gave a flat "no" earlier this week to a demand of the C.I.O. United Steel Workers for "substantial" wage boosts.

Following the U.S. Steel move the Westinghouse Electric Corp. announced its wage talks with the C.I.O. United Electrical Workers had been recessed indefinitely.

About the same time Chrysler Corp. withdrew a six-cent-an-hour wage boost offer it made to the C.I.O. United Auto Workers Union. Government conciliators arranged to have another try Monday to settle the C.I.O. Packinghouse Workers strike against the meat packers. The union has turned down an offer of a nine-cent hourly wage boost. They have demanded 29 cents.

Meanwhile, normal operations were expected in the coal fields Monday after a six-week strike by John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers.

In other labor developments, the efforts to settle differences between top A.F.L. officials and the new Stock Exchange were deadlocked.

Seek Mediation In Salmon Dispute

SEATTLE, April 25 — Federal conciliators will be asked to mediate the dispute between the Alaska Salmon Industry, Inc., and Seattle and Bellingham locals of the International Association of Machinists, Business Agent J A Sandvigen announced today.

The announcement came after the union voted "overwhelmingly" to reject the industry's offer of a 15 per cent wage boost for this year's fishing season.

DIARY SETTLED IT

After considerable dispute by historians, Napoleon Bonaparte's birthday was established—from an actual quotation from his father's diary—as August 15, 1769.

Tag Day Successful Despite Rain

Colonist Photo

DESPITE continuous rain, about $277 was collected yesterday in downtown area through sale of tags by Victoria Girls' Pipe Band in aid of Victoria Cancer Society. Major Nancy Chalmers pins tag under slicker of Constable Edith Bridges, of city police department. Money raised will be placed in Fund earmarked for cancer research.

Grouse Love Call Noisy But Suits Females Fine

Whooo! Whooo! Who! Who! Who! No, madam, the baby has not swallowed its diaper pin. No, sir, it's not that morning after feeling. It's just the call of flirting from a birds' point of view—in particular from that of the Blue Grouse, a native of British Columbia.

This time of the year—the mating season, the birds can be heard hooting anywhere up to a distance of three miles. Annoying if you live within call, but a welcome sound to the naturalist.

Apparently the atomic age has in no way impaired the wooing ability of the grouse. A possible reason is its early association with the Indians of many moons ago.

These gentlemen regarded the grouse as a great delicacy; shot them and lit, cooked them and ate them. In all probability they used their scalps for war-bonnet decoration and the feathers to brighten up their tents.

The mating season commences around March 25. The male perches high in the tree tops and emits a high-pitched series of hoots, melancholy and haunting. This sometimes lasts six or seven weeks, but ceases when a mate is found.

The nest is built in a protective spot, usually at the base of a tree or under a log where the hen lays about seven eggs. These are about the same size as a bantam egg and freckled.

Would-be hunters often experience difficulty in finding the bird, in spite of the racket it makes. Because of its lofty perch, and the method in which it makes the love call, it appears to throw its voice. The hunter spends half his time pursuing an elusive phantom.

So men, if this leap year stuff knocks you off your stride, make preparation for 1949. Take a trip to the Mill Stream and Duncan Lake areas where the birds can be found—and study the call.

Military Activities

5TH (B.C) H.A.A.

Tuesday — 18.45 hours. Training parade. Dress Battle Dress

Wednesday — Rifle Association Shoot at Heal's Range.

Friday—19.30 hours Cadet Corps training.

Saturday—13.30 hours. Transportation from Armouries to Heal's Range for rifle shoot.

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Monday 18.30 hours. Training parade Dress Battle Dress. Rehearsal for N.C.O.'s graduation.

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Tuesday 19.45 hours Parade Dress Roll call order

Wednesday — 20.00 hours. Miniature range shoot.

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Tuesday 19.45 hours. Parade Dress Roll call order

Wednesday — 20.00 hours Miniature range shoot.

NO. 6 AREA SIGNALS

Monday—18.45 hours Parade at School of Artillery building, West Point Barracks Dress: Battle Dress.

10TH FIELD AMBULANCE

Tuesday — 20.00 hours Training parade Dress Roll call order

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Club Calendar

MONDAY — Gyro Club luncheon, Lougheed's Banquet Club, 12.15 p.m.

TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12.15 p.m., Electric Club luncheon, Strathcona Hotel, 12.15 p.m.

THURSDAY—Rotary Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12.15 p.m., Oak Bay Kiwanis dinner, Medley Lane 5-16 Colonial Club luncheon, Lougheed's Banquet Club, 12.15 p.m.

FRIDAY—Lions Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12.15 p.m.

Two Victoria High School students will be guests at the Gyro Club meeting this week. They will speak in support of the School's Memorial Stadium Fund.

Leo T. Crowley will be guest speaker and 100 delegates of the Pacific Northwest Trade Association will be guests at this week's meeting of the Kiwanis Club. Mr. Crowley will speak on "International Affairs, and How They Affect the Pacific Northwest."

Members of the Victoria Electric Club will see a film. Details of the presentation have not been announced.

An interesting film on the fishing industry of British Columbia will be shown to the Rotary Club by club member George J. Alexander, deputy commissioner of the Provincial Fisheries Department.

The Club Bay Kiwanis Club will meet with Kiwanians from West Seattle and Port Angeles this week. The Port Angeles group will present the local club with an American flag.

"Laying Deepers Cable in Wartime" will be the topic of J. L. Thacker, of the cablesship Restorer, who will speak to the Lions Club.

No program has been announced for the Optimist Club.

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HUGE CAMELLIAS GROWN AT CHEMAINUS

Photograph shows Mary Carman, Five Road West, holding bunch of rose-colored camellias from gardan of Mrs. D. Bonde, Chemainus. Shrub is six years old, and has reached height of 8 feet. Blooms measured six inches in diameter. Mrs. Bonde has received congratulations from judges at Vancouver Island flower shows for exceptional blooms during past three years.

High School Boys Work On Beaver Creek Road

ALBERNI, April 24—High school boys have taken over winter work on Provincial Public Works Department left off in repair work on the Beaver Creek Road.

Two stretches of the school bus had fallen victim to bad holes in the surface of the road leg miles from Alberni when the boys suggested to the bus driver, Ivor Hardiman, that if he would stop the bus for a short time each day, they would gravel their own shovels and fill the worst holes with gravel.

On each afternoon trip during the past week the crew of young students has worked hoveling gravel from the sides of the road into the pot holes.

Students working on the project are Allan and Wallace Cameron, and David and Allan Bayne, under the supervision of Donald Shannon, a Grade X student.

Residents of the district are loud in their praise of the public spirited shown by the boys. Gerald Grier, chairman of the transportation committee of the school board, who lives near the scene of the boys' self-imposed task, said that a few days before they started work Mr. Hardiman pointed out it has become impossible to maintain schedules on the road, and that deep holes in the surface were creating a dangerous condition. He said that no Government work had been done in the area since early in January.

Mr Hardiman pointed out it has ruined a new tire on the rough surface.

Association Sets Turkey Meetings

O. R. Wilson, district poultry products inspector for the Dominion Department of Agriculture, will speak on grading, packing and marketing turkeys during a meeting to be sponsored by the Vancouver Island Turkey Improvement Association in Courtenay Agricultural Hall at 8 p.m. Tuesday. W. H. Pope, provincial poultry inspector, will deal with poultry diseases, sanitation and management.

Other meetings will be held in the Canadian Legion Hall at Nanaimo at 8 p.m., Wednesday, and in the Dominion Hotel Victoria, at 8 p.m. Thursday.

Alderman Against "Isms" in Canada

POINT ALBERNI, April 24—"We should down Communism, Fascism and a lot of other isms right here in Canada before we meddle in Spain," Aid. Vincent Rush declared at a Port Alberni City Council meeting.

He added he was definitely not in favor of a suggestion by Denis Arsenault, local National Federation of Labor Youth chairman, that the council write the Federal Government and the U.N asking that aid be given Spanish youth allegedly persecuted by the Fascist Government of Spain.

Although sending of the wires was moved by Ald Walter Tapp and seconded by Ald. A. Flanagan, the motion was voted down by Mayor L. K. Gordon, Alderman J. Humphries, M Wren Rush and O. Pelkard.

Appearing to support a letter by Arsenault, Mr Arsenault named Spanish youths now under death sentence and others in prison. He said their only crime was to demonstrate against the injustices of Fascism.

Mr. Jordan asked what was the political belief of the persecuted persons. Mr. Arsenault replied he did not know. He said the World Federation of Democratic Youth, of which he and the persecuted people of Spain were members, strived to prevent democratic principles

Cumberland Girl To Head Festival

CUMBERLAND, April 24—Norma Pavaro, a Cumberland High School student, has been selected by the combined high school and elementary school student bodies as queen of Cumberland's Diamond Jubilee celebration on May 24. Miss Pavaro is the daughter of Mr and Mrs. S. Pavaro. Princesses chosen were Helen Strachan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Strachan, and Sylvia Thurston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thurston. Page boys will be chosen later.

Chemainus Group Plans Activities

CHEMAINUS, April 24—P. Work and M. Sandland announced that a public meeting would be called on Monday to recognize the Chemainus Garden Club, which has been inactive since 1942. Gladioli bulbs will be distributed to new members. Prior to the war, the club donated flowering trees and Norwegian maples to Chemainus Cemetery and Chemainus General Hospital, and also held Spring and Summer flower shows for the area between Crofton and Chemainus.

Ratepayers Want Details on Camp

PORT ALBERNI, April 24—Port Alberni's Army Camp situation continues to was warm. This is carrying a joke too far." Mayor L. K. Jordan exclaimed at a city council meeting when the Port Alberni Ratepayers' Association asked for full and detailed information on the Army Camp finances and administration.

The mayor said it would be almost impossible to compile the details, and he felt that the request was unsalled for.

William Latta, president of the association, explained the request was made in view of the general investigation taking place at the camp. He said if details were not readily available, it might suggest that camp affairs were not "in shape".

Objection was raised by Frank L. Kitsis, city clerk, and a member of the Army Camp management board, who referred the delegation to the city auditors. He later retracted this and said that under the law the auditors can give information only to certain authorized persons, including some city officials and the Minister of Municipal Affairs.

To Take Interest In Civic Matters

COURTENAY, April 24—Members of the Comox District Joint Labor Council decided they will take a greater interest in civic affairs from now on. A committee of affiliated union members will attend a meeting of the council next Monday to discuss the proposed new Sewerage Disposal plant.

The council will extend an invitation to H. J. Welch, M.L.A., to attend an open meeting at Courtenay to give an explanation of Government policies. A delegation was sent to Mr Welch protesting imposition of the sales tax on the basis that it is against the wishes and the best interests of his constituents.

Tofino Launches Big Halibut Ship

TOFINO, April 24—Wingen's Boats shipyard was in gala array when George Hillier's new 48-foot halibut boat Hillier Queen slid down the ways.

In an address prior to the launching, Mr. Hillier announced that the boat had been named for his mother, the late Mrs. H. J. Hillier.

Mrs W. McKenzie of Kildonan christened the vessel in the traditional manner. The boat was blessed by Miss Ruth Tugwell, who read a short verse.

Visitors were present for the launching from Port Alberni, Kildonan, Vancouver, Tofino and Ucluelet.

At a luncheon presided over by H. J. Hillier, father of George Hillier, speakers were Norman S. Kind, president of the Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island, Ross Nicholson, W. McKenzie and J. Wingen, for the Wingen yard. Thomas Gibson, a veteran employee, replied to congratulatory remarks.

Miss Tugwell and Mrs. McKenzie were presented with gold compacts engraved with the names and the launching date by George Hillier.

Hillier Queen is one of the most modern boats of her size on the West Coast of the Island. She is equipped with a 12 cylinder Superior Diesel engine. Bendix clutch and governor controls, recording-type depth sounder, fresh water pressure system, crew sleeping quarters and a stateroom. She will make her maiden voyage to her home port of Ucluelet to be fitted in time for the halibut season.

Members of the crew are George Hillier, master, Peter Hillier, engineer, and Edward Lee, Henry Clarke and Peter Healey.

Memorial Centre Organizes Sports

PORT ALBERNI, April 24—Plans by the Memorial Centre Association for a summer program at the R.C.M.E. Hall are proceeding rapidly, according to Thomas Forsman, recreation director.

Junior softball, lacrosse, grass hockey and baseball are being developed Girls between the ages of eight and 13 are to take part in softball and field hockey, while softball, baseball and lacrosse are being organized for the boys. The School Board has been approached for the loan of field hockey sticks. Donald McClean and Bill Forsman are promoting the lacrosse with the objective of a four-team league. Roy Jones is assisting in the instruction of junior girls' sports.

Nanaimo Approves Water Board Idea

NANAIMO, April 24—Water may be supplied to Nanaimo Municipalities and homes in surrounding districts by a Greater Nanaimo Water Board. Formation of the board was approved at a meeting here. P. C. Stewart, Victoria civil engineer, was appointed to prepare an estimate of costs.

Aid Fire Fighters

COLWOOD, April 24—A travelling fire fighting instructional unit, sponsored by the provincial fire marshal's office at Vancouver, will be stationed at Colwood and Langford from April 26 to May 1. Persons interested in fire fighting may obtain information from Fire Chief Walter Gwyer, telephone Beacon 34 X.

To Hold Banquet

BRENTWOOD, April 24—Mayor Percy E. George, aldermen and Reeve Cecil Cameron of Oreille, Victoria will attend the annual banquet of the Saanich Board of Trade in the Women's Institute Hall at Brentwood at 7 p.m. Wednesday. V. C. Dawson will be in charge of entertainment. Food will be cooked and served by members of the Women's Institute.

Weather Forecasts

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with scattered showers. Winds westerly, 20 m.p.h. Cold.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with scattered showers. Winds northwesterly, 30 m.p.h.

Trade Board to Meet

BRENTWOOD, April 24—Saanich Board of Trade will meet in the Women's Institute Hall, Brentwood, at 8 p.m., on May 3.

Port to Get New Railway Station

PORT ALBERNI, April 24—Port Alberni's new and modern E & N railway depot will be started this year, it was announced here by G. H. Baillie, vice-president, Pacific region, Canadian Pacific Railway.

In a talk which followed that of a large group of other railway officials, Mr. Baillie, who was accompanied by A. J. Cowie, General Superintendent, E & N Railway, said the new station would be erected on the site of the present one.

The only change will be that one room of the new depot will be closer to Argyle Street, and it will extend further back on the property around Kingsway.

While the general overall plan has been completed, it is still in the hands of the architects for the purpose of giving final attention to details of the general appearance.

Mr. Baillie said that further details of layout and construction would be announced later. But indicated that the new depot would be an attractive one-story building of modernistic design.

BUSES MAY USE DEPOT

While at present there was no indication that Vancouver Island Coach Lines would operate from the station, Mr. Baillie said that provision had been made in the plans for that eventuality.

The vice-president noted that the C.P.R. was expending considerable money in British Columbia this year in new construction.

With reference to the new track sales being put in here, the company was awaiting delivery of the actual scales mechanism on order for some time.

The official was impressed by the progress of the Alberni, and considered there was ample justification for the proposed expansion here. He referred to the new C.P.R. wharf at Port Alberni, and said it was a worthwhile replacement.

Speaking of the new warehouse addition which the railway is financing on behalf of Island Freight Service, Ltd., Mr Baillie said he believed the addition of the proposed cold storage facility would be of considerable benefit to the Alberni.

While in the city he conferred with Alex Marteinuk, local agent for the E & N Railway, and met a number of railway employees in this district.

Tests to Measure Athletic Prowess

COURTENAY, April 24—Pupils of district elementary schools will not hold a competitive track meet, but will unite to measure their athletic prowess against standards now being drawn up by a committee of teachers. This was announced by the Comox District Teachers' Association following a meeting at which proposed elementary school track meet was discussed. The plan has been carried out in a number of district schools in the past few years with notable success in securing the active participation of all pupils. This year it will be extended to all grades, and the number of classes and events will be increased.

Miners to Attend Nanaimo Meeting

NANAIMO, April 24—Under the sponsorship of the Nanaimo Tribune committee, a meeting of the United Mine Workers of America early Sunday night. It was announced that the speakers will be Angus Rush and Alfred Dewhurst, organizers of the Progressive Party.

The meeting is considered answer to last Sunday's public meeting when Dr Minden Quinn Zorkin was prevented by hecklers from speaking. Dr. Zorkin is an anti-Communist.

The L.P.P. speakers will discuss "Labor needs for a fighting paper," and "Who champions democracy."

Mayor George Muir, Nanaimo, who visited Victoria yesterday, pointed out the meeting was sponsored by the Pacific Tribune, Vancouver, and advertised through circulars passed around by the Nanaimo Tribune Committee.

"Nobody at Nanaimo seems to have heard of the Nanaimo Tribune Committee before," the mayor said. "The Pacific Tribune is a Communist paper. A public meeting to flush out the Communists and other subversive interests will be held at Nanaimo within the next two weeks. Good Canadian citizens must be made aware of the menace of Communism," he added.

Large Flagstaff To Grace Tower

PORT ALBERNI, April 24—An 82-foot flagpole of British Columbia Douglas fir left Port Alberni Saturday aboard the steamship Bernardi L. Redman, for London On arriving in Great Britain it will be placed atop the Tower of London, replacing a flagpole destroyed during the World War.

The new pole was trimmed from a 300-year-old tree that grew to a height of more than 180 feet. It is a gift from Bloedel, Stewart & Welch Ltd.

Club to Stage Dance

LUXTON, April 24—Fred Usher will be master of ceremonies during a dance to be staged by Luxton Young People's Variety Club in Luxton Hall next Friday. W. P. Hobbs is chairman of the committee in charge. Winners of prizes at a recent club meeting were Norma Wilkinson, Joyce Matthias and Joyce Hobbs

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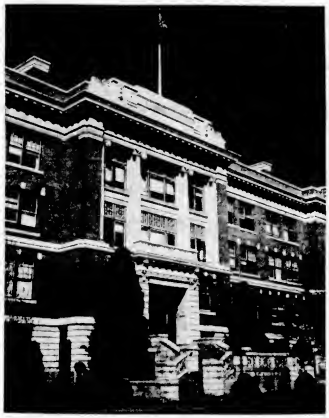
Hi Student!

At this time of the year students at Victoria High School are strenuously engaged in writing tests and examinations, but nevertheless find time for a little recreation. There are scores of activities to take up the time of the student "during school hours." Photographs on this page show the student at work and at leisure.

Music classes conducted by Miss Norma Douglas are far from dull. Here students surround modern radio-record player as Diana Nixon puts record on turntable. Students seen in picture, from left to right, are Lois McGregor, Clara Bouillier, George Rapanos, Bruce Taylor and Diana Nixon.



Victoria High School

Shown surrounding year book editor, Walter MacDonald, centre, is Camosun staff. Press time grows short and staff is working under pressure. From left to right are Phyllis Kerr, art editor; Helena Hunkin, co-editor; Donna Munro, co-editor; Joan Ashwin, advertising manager; Grant Williamson, co-editor; Terry Grant, cuts and illustrations, and Grace Worthy, co-editor.

The commercial department is always a hive of activity as seen in this picture. Practical tasks, such as counting change and preparing tickets for High School productions, been here from left to right, Patricia Graves cuts tickets, Margaret McDonald types from shorthand, Jean Carmichael and Thalma Brailsford count money, and Mary Borga operates electric calculator. R. H. Heywood heads this department.

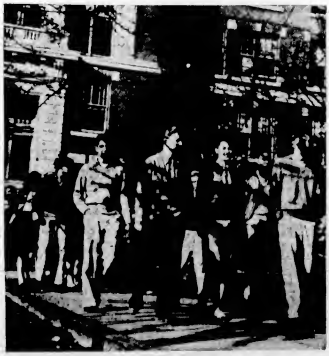
Chemistry lab is no place for inaccuracy. These students bend close to apparatus to insure exactness in experiment. Shown from left to right are Sylvia Lash, Jim Henning, David Bond and Donna Munro.

These girls shown in the home economics department may not use grandmother's "a pinch of this and dash of that" method, but the end result is just as appealing if not more so. Seen from left to right are Beatrice Berry, Betty Woodward, Barbara Tupman and Joyce Booth.

In biology class Helena Hunkin peers through microscope while Bob Dyke and John Gosit, right, look on. Class is conducted by P. E. Hammond.

Lovely and spacious grounds of the school provide many such comfortable spots for a little "brushing up" at noon hour. Contentedly munching an apple, Violet Noble, a senior, ponders an assignment.

In hot sun of approaching Summer, boys convert outdoors. All sports are energetically participated in as this picture shows.



Student Parade

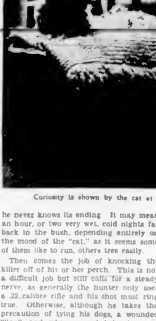
When the finish bell rings there is still enough daylight left for much outside sport or other activity and these boys are wasting no time getting to it.

—Colonist Photos by John MacLean

Hounding the Killer

By O. CORBETT

ONE animal this Island could well do without is the cougar. This killer, known throughout the western half of North America, has collected many names such as mountain lion, panther and puma, but to the average hunter in these parts it is just the big "cat."



Curiosity is shown by the cat at the Lodge, but he keeps his distance.

from up to tip, and they show no favoritism, killing anything they can sneak up on, whether it be some farmer's pet lamb or prize heifer, up to an eight-point deer. Therefore, it is the business of both the agriculture and game departments to see that this destruction is removed with as much haste as possible, if this country is to remain a game paradise, and also make it safe for a farmer or rancher to range herds.

WILY IN THE WOODS

The difficulty of exterminating the big "cat" lies in his ability to keep clear of the average hunter. Without proper dogs to nose them out, not one hunter in a hundred ever catches a glimpse of a cougar in the bush. A lot of credit for keeping the kills to their present standing must go to those hunters and their dogs, who, at at a moment's notice to where a "cat" has made a kill and pick up its trail. If they are lucky they will be awarded a twenty-dollar bounty, put up by the Game Department. This is not much reward for having to buy and keep at least two hounds, besides a lot of personal expenses. To encourage these men, it has been suggested that other parties, who also feel the weight of this killer, contribute to this bounty equally with the Game Department.

The big "cat" now has a new worry on his "hands" or paws, as you wish, in the way of professional hunters. These men, and we mean men, running up a mountainside after a hound dog on the hot scent of a cougar, and not a tree in sight for the "cat" to sit in, this side of the timber line, is not a weakling's game.

KNOWLEDGE NECESSARY

Hand picked for the job, a hunter must first be hardwise, as lack of this knowledge could cost both his and the dog's life. Secondly, but just as essential, he must have stamina, for when the chase starts, he never knows its ending. It may mean an hour, or two very wet, cold nights far back in the bush, depending entirely on the mood of the "cat," as it seems some of them like to run, others tree easily.

This comes the job of knocking the killer off of his or her perch. This is not a difficult job but still calls for a steady nerve, as generally the hunter only uses a .22 calibre rifle and his shot must ring true. Otherwise, although he takes the precaution of tying his dogs, a wounded "lion"—and when wounded he becomes such—covers a lot of territory in his last dying breaths, and many a dog has lost his life through a bad shot by the hunter. As a good hound dog takes a long time to train, besides acting as a partner and companion to these hunters, the boys make sure that the first shot is the last.

SCORE OF VICTIMS

The hunters, under the supervision of the Game Department, include Corporal James Dewar and his assistants, Warden Moore and Frost. An example of their good work was at Roberts Lake, situated 18 miles north of Campbell River in the Sayward forest area, one of the nicest game countries on the Island. In this district, so far this year, over 20 of these killers have fallen to this trio, the month of March accounting for nine, including five females and four sons.

In the latter hunt they were accompanied by Warden Haskell, of the Mainland, who joined the party to get acquainted with the handling of the dogs, as the hounds are trained at Nanaimo for the rest of the province. It was a new experience for the Mainland hunter, as most of the cougar killing there is done by tracking on snowshoes.

Superintendent Stevenson, of the Game Department, can well be proud of the job his hunters have done so far. The last report showed them in the Alberni district, where, no doubt, more of these "killers" will become hides by the time they and their nine four-legged companions return home. The Game Department intends to issue a report monthly on the progress of their hunters.

This kill, made during March, is seen hanging outside Bill Lewis' Lodge at Roberts Lake, the hunters' headquarters for the Sayward district. Six of the valuable hound dogs are seen in the above photo—nine were used. See if you can see three cougar kittens in foreground.

The Romance of Trinity House

The Corporation of Trinity House Is a Brotherhood of Seamen Connected for Centuries With Ships on England's River Thames

By GEORGE GODWIN

LONDON.—When a great ocean-going liner approaches a British port she is met by a cutter flying the pilot's flag. He comes aboard and takes the great ship safely to her berth. There is only one way by which a master mariner can qualify for this all-important and most responsible work, namely, by satisfying the examiners of the Corporation of Trinity House.

Like so many British institutions, Trinity House has a long history. Some claim that it is a modern development of a benevolent gesture of King Alfred for the organization of warning beacons for mariners about dangerous parts of the English coast.

Today Trinity House has three main functions. It examines and licenses pilots; it grants pilotage certificates to masters and mates of British ships; it provides licensed pilots for a large number of important ports, including London.

Secondly, it manages the lighthouse service of England and Wales and the Channel Islands. This is done from depots all round the coast from which lighthouse tenders service the lighthouses. These tenders also service all buoys, moving, relighting or extinguishing them, for buoys are used, not only to mark channels but also to mark wrecks. Sandbanks dangerous to navigation sometimes shift, and so Trinity House carries out constant surveys that supply the data for chart amendments.

DANGEROUS JOBS

Lighthouses thus managed are either rock stations, that is, cut off from the land, or shore stations, such as the famous North Foreland lighthouse in Kent. The servicing of these lonely rock-based structures is one of the most dangerous jobs done by Trinity House, and even in calm weather relief crews have to be hoisted by rope and winch from relief ship to tower.

Next, the corporation manage all light vessels, the first of which was established at the Nore, at the entrance to the Thames in 1732. In 1936 there were 43 manned light vessel stations and two unmanned lightships with automatic lighted and bell. This number has been temporarily reduced as a result of the Second Great War.

Manned light vessels have a crew of seven, four being always on shore leave. These ships have no engines, lie exposed to both weather and the dangers of immobility in fog, and depend absolutely on their anchor chains for security.

Thus this ancient corporation performs a vitally important service, not only for the state, but to all shipping using British home waters.

Though the authority of the Corporation is absolute where its work is concerned, it now comes under the jurisdiction of Britain's Ministry of Transport, an arrangement made for administrative purposes only.

The management of the services enumerated is conducted by a board composed of ten Elder Brethren, assisted at headquarters by secretarial and engineering staffs, which number ninety. These Elder Brethren were so called by King James I, when he made changes in the Charter granted by successive sovereigns. This board manage all aspects of the Corporation work from the pilotage regulations and light vessel servicing down to wreck disposal and buoying. This work is done through six depots and one subdepot.

The whole coast line of England and Wales is divided for these purposes into six districts, each with a district superintendent with storehouse, clerks, spare buoys, light vessel chains and so forth.

The lighthouse tenders referred to are based on these depots at such important coast centres as Yarmouth, East Cowes, Penzance, Holyhead, Harwich and Swansea.

Visitors to Britain who happen to be present at public functions sometimes see a minister of the Crown, or some other notable man in a strange and unfamiliar uniform somewhat resembling that of an admiral.

This is the Trinity House uniform, worn by honorary Elder Brethren, and a wearer is Mr. Winston Churchill. These honorary Elder Brethren have no part in the administration of the Corporation, which is in the hands of the active Elder Brethren whose functions have been indicated.

In addition to the honorary and active Elder Brethren there are a Master and a number of Younger Brethren. The present Master is the Duke of Gloucester and for nearly 100 years a Royal Prince has filled this office. These Younger Brethren are officers of the Merchant Navy and of Britain's Royal Navy, who possess very high professional qualifications.

Trinity House has one other function rather less well known than its coastal surveillance and, unexpectedly enough, it is concerned with the administration of justice.

From the outbreak of the World War to its termination, over two thousand cases of maritime law came before the High Court in the Strand, London. Most of these cases involved questions of prize-money, and over £8,000,000 in awards were allocated to fortunate crews whose ships had captured enemy ships at sea. All such cases are heard in the Probate, Divorce and Admiralty Division.

Whenever a case of this kind comes before the Admiralty Court, the judge does not sit alone. A Brother of Trinity House usually sits beside him on the Bench and the learned judge consults him on all matters relating to the sea.

During the World War the London headquarters of Trinity House, on Tower Hill, were burnt out as a result of enemy action. But that misfortune did not throw out of gear this great public service, and all activities went forward by means of those improvisations that were characteristic of so much of Britain's national life during those days.

Lights, loom and signals flash over the night sea, green lights mark the graves of sunken wrecks in the fairway; and in the blindness of fog, hoot of horn or bell clang warn the mariner impatient for light and the day and the sight of the pilot's cutter and the prospect of the security of port.

(U.K. Information Service)

The Trinity House —British Official Photo.

Home of the Princess Royal

The Princess Royal Regards Yorkshire as Her County of Adoption, and the Reports That She Intends to Forsake Harewood House in Favor of a Home in London Have Been Denied. Moreover, Her Present Stately Residence Is a Regal Palace in Every Way.

By ARTHUR NETTLETON

LONDON.—Harewood House, in Yorkshire home of the Princess Royal, is to retain its status as the only royal residence in Northern England. A report that Her Royal Highness intends to move from this mansion and make her permanent home in London has been officially denied.

Thus does Britain's least-known royal estate continue its eloquent and stirring history. The Princess Royal came from Goldenrough Hall, Nidderdale, to Harewood in 1930, shortly after the late Lord Harewood succeeded to the title and property. Since then, she, the stately house in its 2,000-acre well-wooded park overlooking Middle Wharfedale, has been the Princess' chief home.

ROYAL ASSOCIATIONS

Few other estates in the north of England could have met so admirably the exacting requirements entailed in the choice of a royal palace. Both the park and the mansion have an historic background connecting them with royalty.

Visitors to the splendid house have included Queen Victoria, the Queen Dowager Adelaide and the Tsar of Russia. Much earlier royal associations concern John Baliol. He was given refuge at Harewood Castle (the ruins of which still stand in a corner of the park) six hundred years ago, when he fled from the Scottish throne.

One hundred thousand pounds are said to have been spent on the superb Palladium house when it was built nearly 200 years ago, and although it has undergone alterations since that time, it remains a wonderful monument to the genius of three famous architects.

The mansion in its original form was designed by Robert Adam and John Carr for the first Earl of Harewood, Adam being responsible for the whole of the interior while Carr designed the exterior. Just over a century ago, Sir Charles Barry, who planned the Houses of Parliament, was commissioned by the third Earl to carry out alterations at Harewood. He gave particular attention to the south front, and laid out the series of terraces which enhance it today.

The present importance of this place as a royal residence is revealed by the fact that it has its own regular court circular, giving news of the day-by-day activities of the Princess. Her household includes two ladies-in-waiting and three extra ladies-in-waiting.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

The main apartments, which from time to time are thrown open to the public, include a great gallery containing many family portraits, and a library designed by Sir Charles Barry but retaining a ceiling designed by Adam. Exquisite ceilings, indeed, are an outstanding feature of Harewood House. That of the great gallery is a masterpiece by Angelica Kauffmann, Queen Victoria's favorite artist.

The mansion is also a treasure house of antiques and works of art. A remarkable array of china and glassware, collected by the princess and the late earl, is displayed in antique cabinets, and paintings by such masters as Turner, Hoppner, Reynolds and Dahl hang in the main apartments. Many of the views by Turner are of local scenes; the Dahl pictures include one of Harewood Castle.

Antique furniture in Harewood House includes valuable Chippendale pieces, while a unique example of the same renowned craftsman's work are a series of carved pelmets representing window hangings.

In expanding the collection of antiques and bric-a-brac, the Princess Royal has had the expert guidance of her mother, Queen Mary, herself a connoisseur. Her Majesty has often been able to point out pieces coming on to the market, and has enabled Her Royal Highness to acquire them for Harewood House.

The Queen Mother has a strong affection for this Yorkshire palace. Before the war she visited Harewood each Autumn, and enjoyed motor runs to Harrogate and through the Yorkshire dales.

HISTORIC AVENUE

An avenue on the estate is in part a souvenir of her visits. On each occasion she has planted a tree. Other distinguished visitors have followed the same custom, so that a new, historic avenue has been developed.

The Harewood gardens are by no means a minor attraction, and under the direction of the Princess Royal they have become an increasingly attractive feature of the estate. A new color scheme is adopted each year, and horticultural experiments are sometimes carried out. One innovation was the successful introduction of a number of Scandinavian plants, gifts from Queen Maud of Norway.

The estate has its home farm, and a considerable acreage is given over to food production, with pedigree cattle and a flock of 84 Kilda sheep grazed in the park. The scene is a reminder that beside the 20-acre lake (then a mere pond) the monks of Bolton Priory once had properties and corn mills, and flocks of sheep owned by the monastery were kept in the neighborhood.

Throughout her 28 years at Harewood, the princess has taken a direct interest in parochial affairs. She attends Sunday services in the grand old church in a corner of the park; the villagers have the use of a fine cricket ground on the estate, and as president of the Girl Guides' Association Her Royal Highness has been actively concerned in promoting and developing the Harewood company of Girl Guides.

PROVINCIAL PATRONAGE

She is an equally willing patroness of the arts, especially in their provincial expression. Concerts in Leeds, Bradford, and other West Riding towns have received her enthusiastic support. She takes a similarly keen interest in philanthropic and communal activities—hospitals, clinics, welfare centres, and charities claim much of her time. A ward in Leeds Infirmary has been named after her, and she has been made a Freeman of that city.

Harewood House is thus something more than a residence. It is not only a Royal home but a centre of Royal interest in British parochial and provincial life. These affairs have come to be regarded as the special domain of Her Royal Highness, and that is one important reason why the stately house in the fine park overlooking Wharfedale is to remain her chief home.

—Reuterphoto

For the first time in the history of the Royal Artillery, gunners are to replace infantry as guard at the Tower of London. Pictures shows men of the 9th Heavy Anti-Aircraft Regiment marching through the Tower of London after arriving to take over guard duties.

First American Submarine Will Never Reach Museum

NEW YORK.—Not a vestige is left of the United States Navy's first submarine, the Holland, the ninth and most successful craft of its kind built by the inventor, John P. Holland. Chopped to bits and melted down, she may, for all that is known, have been fired back by the Japs at American warships.

The 48th anniversary of the purchase of the historic Holland by the navy comes at a time when the navy is giving intense study to the submarine and means of combating it. Submarines sank 23,351,000 tons of Allied shipping in the recent war. Congress has made appropriations for the navy to build four prototype submarines in which all the latest German developments will be used.

It has been fairly definitely established that the "mother of all submarines" was bought for $160 by a Harlem metal concern more than 12 years ago from the owners of Starlight Park, the Bronx, where she was on exhibition.

SEARCH IS MADE

Following an inquiry to a New York newspaper concerning the fate of the submarine, the newspaper printed last January an article on the mysterious disappearance of the craft.

So much interest was aroused by the story that the newspaper decided to find out what actually had happened to the Holland.

Hundreds of inquiries were made by telephone and mail to museums, navy activities, historical societies and scrap metal dealers.

Finally spokesmen for the Harlem Metal Corporation of this city elicited the information that they had bought the craft from the Starlight Park owners. Company officials had no records to prove it, as they are destroyed every six years. But Louis Gerson, president of the firm, remembered that he and his men cut the Holland to bits with an acetylene torch on the park grounds.

"She had already been cut into three pieces when we arrived. Transportation easier and the openings were covered with tape," said Gerson. "We cut her into pieces at a size that could easily be put on trucks. Later the metal was shopped up much smaller by alligator shears.

"With me it was just a matter of an old boat with some good metal. Who knows? She may have been part of a scrap metal load that went to Japan."

The Holland, 53 feet long, with a 10-foot beam, was launched at Lake Pontchartrain in 1900 witnessed by Adm. George Dewey.

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Hold That Game Line!

By G. E. MORTIMORE

University of B.C. Zoologists Planning Campaign to Save Wild Life From Possible Extinction — Starvation and "Suicide" Causing Depletion, Says Expert

HOW can thousands of game birds be prevented from committing suicide or dying of starvation? A university zoologist now at University of British Columbia is trying to answer this question before it is too late.

He is 27-year-old Dr. Ian McTaggart Cowan, professor of zoology, consultant to British Columbia Game Commission and former assistant curator of the Provincial Museum. His game pathology laboratory in U.B.C's applied science building, a small hideout lined with skeletons and antlers, is the headquarters for a score of game research projects and training centre for wildlife biologists who will work to preserve the animal and bird population for future generations of sportsmen and nature lovers.

Massed assault by hunters on pheasants makes domestic breeding necessary, and thousands of birds are raised in captivity and liberated. Returns from some North American areas show that only 11 per cent survive to become targets for sportsmen's shotguns.

Most of the remainder die of starvation. Farm-bred, they apparently lack the ability to fend for themselves

This year all released birds are to be banded, and researcher Ernie Taylor is working under Dr. Cowan's direction to check their movements and study methods of raising and liberation. In other areas changed techniques have produced more birds who can survive and give hunters a run for their money.

POISON IN WATERFOWL

Even more serious is the problem of lead-poisoning in waterfowl. Ducks, geese and swans seeking grit to grind their food, gobble hunters' spent shot and perish by the thousand.

Game scientists are tackling the problem in two stages. First step is a survey to determine the extent of slaughter, and the reasons for it. Next comes the quest for a solution. John Treer, a student of Dr. Cowan's, is checking the Winter range of waterfowl, sifting sample plots of swamp land to measure concentration of lead and comparing the susceptibility of different species to lead poisoning.

Indications are that larger birds, such as canvasbacks and mallard ducks, are the chief victims, since they eat shot in place of the larger grit particles which they prefer. Smaller birds, such as widgeon, use fine sand for internal grinding, and so escape the poison.

Thirteen of 14 trumpeter swans died near Parksville after feeding over lead-scattered swamplands.

Post-mortems in the laboratory may tell just how much lead a bird may absorb and still live. Results so far show that one or two pellets may kill a large bird, or make it sterile.

Silting-over in marshes cover the shot and renders it harmless. The rate at which silting takes place is under investigation.

The best hope may lie in shot made from a non-poisonous alloy recently developed. This would be more expensive for manufacturers, game scientists want to be sure it is necessary before they move to make the use of non-toxic shot general.

LIFE OF THE MOOSE

Private life of this moose in British Columbia is being investigated by James Hatter, Dave Cole and L. W. Roberts. There has been a tremendous increase in moose since the last war, and although the "kill" by hunters has increased greatly, there are still many areas in which moose are destroying their food plants so rapidly that serious depletion from starvation seems imminent.

The researchers are carrying out an intensive study of moose food habits, life history, range, parasites, diseases and predators. Object is to gather data on which to base a conservation programme.

Diseases which imperil the fur harvest of the Canadian Northwest, are also under investigation. A survey of food-habits may reveal the reason for the fluctuation in numbers of marten, one of the most valuable fur-bearing animals, over a period of years.

Dominion Wildlife Service is solicitous for the welfare of the muskrat, which adds $500,000 annually to the income of trappers in the Mackenzie delta. Mysterious diseases, of which only the symptoms are known, cause periodic wholesale decimation of muskrat hordes.

Dr. Cowan and some of his students, cooperating with W. E. Stevens, Dominion Wildlife Service mammalogist, have been carrying out laboratory post-mortems and field research over an area extending from the 49th parallel to the Arctic coast.

PERILS TO MUSKRATS

One known peril to muskrats and other rodents is the disease called tularemia, or "rabbit-fever," which is fortunately not yet common in British Columbia. The disease can be transmitted to humans, and has been suggested as one weapon of bacterial warfare forecast by science writers

Not concerning themselves with these imagined horrors of the future, game scientists here are seeking increased knowledge of the disease and effective ways of combating its spread among animals.

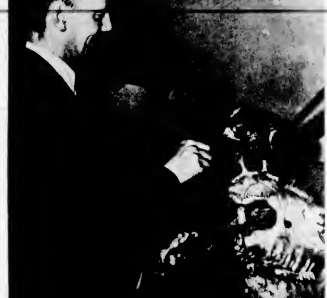
Student Charles Guiguet, in the course of a fur-bearing animals survey last summer, found a young Peales falcon or "duck hawk" flapping a crippled wing on Langara Island of the Queen Charlottes. He cared for the bird and took it back to the laboratory in Vancouver, where it is now a pet and mascot.

Christened "Hercules" although it is a female, the same falcon is treated with respect because of its sharp beak and talons, which have not been blunted in its voluntary captivity. "Hercules" feeds on dissected game specimens. "He" and a rattlesnake are the only two live non-human occupants of the laboratory.

The curious and practical research projects and training, says Dr. Cowan, add up to one fact: authorities now realize that mounting human population and ever greater sporting and commercial demands upon wildlife make a wise over-all conservation programme absolutely essential.

Such a programme is now under way on a Dominion as well as on a Provincial level. Organisation last year of Dominion Wildlife Service, headed by Dr. Harrison Lewis, is a recognition that the days of squandering and slaughter are past.

It takes six years to train a wildlife biologist, and U.B.C. will graduate its first group this year. Says Dr. Cowan: "The demand for trained men exceeds the supply, and there will be plenty of work for them to do."



—Photo by Bob Minnes

"Hercules," pet falcon of game pathology "lab" at U.B.C., sits on black rhino skull and stabs playful beak at zoology professor Ian McTaggart Cowan.

Report Russia Is Stepping Up Hydro-Electric Development

MOSCOW (AP)—The last month has seen important developments in the field of hydro-electric power in the Soviet Union.

It was recently announced that the immense Farkhad power station and dam in central Asia was completed and had begun generating power. The dam, which was built during the war, will be little less than the largest hydro-electric power installation now operating in the Soviet Union. It will, in addition, irrigate an immense area of 500,000 hectares (more than 1,000,000 acres) of some of the richest cotton land in the world in the so-called hungry steppe

HUGE POWER STATION

It was also announced that construction of a tremendous new power station and dam on the Volga River at the large city of Gorki had begun. This dam will be 11 kilometers (about seven miles) long, and will produce hundreds of millions of kilowatt hours of electricity for the central industrial region of Russia upon its completion. The excavation work for this dam alone will be several times as great as that for the Dnieper dam in the Ukraine, the biggest hydro-electric installation in Europe

Another tremendous new dam and power plant is under construction in the Altai region of Eastern Kazakhstan. A Soviet magazine has reported that "the day is not far off when the first hydro-turbine of the plant using the water-power resources of the Irtysh River will give current." Little information is available on this dam but it is clear that it is a development of first importance for one of the newer industrial areas of the USSR.

POWER FOR MOSCOW

A fourth power turbine—with a capacity of 55,000 kilowatts—has been installed at the Kcherbakov (Rybinsk) power station near Moscow. This is a further step in the capitalization of the waters of the Volga, which will be used to generate power and turn into one of the biggest artificial lakes in the world. The current will flow to the industries of Moscow.

The reconstruction of the Dnieper dam and power station is proceeding at full speed. Four complete turbine-generator units now have been installed and put into operation at this largest station in Russia and Europe which was so seriously damaged by the Germans when they occupied the Ukraine. The latest five more turbine-generator units to be installed before the plant has surpassed its previous capacity.

It has been announced from the Caucasus that construction work is progressing rapidly on a great project for harnessing the power of Lake Sevan in Armenia in a series of cascades and hydro-electric plants. The largest hydro-electric plant in this series is now being built and work is in an advanced stage on lengths four miles through mountains which are to bring the water to the turbine blades.

These are only some of the more superlative of dozens of hydro-electric projects in the Soviet Union now in the process of being realized. But enough are sufficient to show that the USSR is determined in the not distant future to become the greatest producer and consumer of hydro-electric power in the world.

Triplets, 80, Still Confusing

MARLBORO, Mass.—Faith, Hope and Charity confuse people as much today as they did when they were walking off with blue ribbons in baby shows in horse and buggy days.

Eighty-year-old triplets, Mrs. Annie Mae McDonell, Mrs. Ellen Hope Daniels and Mrs. Nora Charity Murphy, all widows, are hard to tell apart.

"The only time we really had any identity," Mrs. Daniels said, "was when we were married. As children we were frequently punished for each other's misdeed at school and now that we're retired we're hardened to folks staring at us

"When we were girls a young man once invited me to a ball. The next day he met Faith and, mistaking her for me, confirmed the date. Faith accepted. Two days later he met Charity and went through the same process.

"The night of the ball, she strolled with a smile, and when his wife began drawing for our date, We wouldn't tell each other the name of our beau. It was distressing when he called and all three of us tripped down stairs to meet him.

"He was a gentleman, however," Mrs. Murphy said. "After he recovered from the shock he rounded up two more escorts and off we went. All during the ball we girls switched our partners and the boys never suspected it."

"African Rifles"—First Victoria Regiment

By FRANK KELLY

WHILE the Hudson's Bay Company built forts and mounted six and nine-pounder guns on the corner bastions of palisaded enclosures, like those of old Fort Victoria, and the servants of the company were coerced to some extent for the purpose of serving those guns if the need ever occurred, the honor of forming the first volunteer unit of a military character must go to early negro residents of Victoria.

How and why it came into being is part of the record of military activity from the earliest days on this coast compiled by the late Lt.-Col. F. A. Robertson, of the Fifth Regiment, and now the prized possession of the Fifth Heavy Anti-Aircraft Battery. To anyone interested in the military records of Vancouver Island or the coast, the type-written record, indicating infinite patience and long hours of research on the part of the compiler, the book is a mine of much information.

Elaborating on the formation of the "African Volunteers," Colonel Robertson relates how the late Corporal S. J. Booth, before he died here in the 30's, was the source of his references. According to Booth, the brewing of the American Civil War and slave emancipation had already become a hot political issue in the 50's of the last century. At that time there were many colored folks in California, who were "dissatisfied with the laws" and had made up their minds to move on to some more hospitable land, if they could find it.

Delegates from each colored community in California gathered in San Francisco to discuss and ponder over how they could better themselves. Some of the delegates had heard of Australia, and a number of them went there; while others had been told of a British colony to the north on the west side of the Rocky Mountains. These favored appointing a committee to proceed to New Caledonia, interview the authorities, and learn if they would be welcomed and given protection.

CORDIAL INVITATION

Apparently James Douglas had extended the California negroes a cordial invitation to establish themselves on British soil. As a result of the favorable report brought back to California over 600 colored folks came north. They traveled aboard the steamers Brother Jonathan and Pacific, pioneer Coast vessels; and while not all hampered with too much worldly goods a number were possessed of farm implements, had some livestock and altogether proved a valuable acquisition to the embryo colony of Vancouver Island.

About the time the colored folks arrived the white citizens of Victoria were busy organizing a volunteer fire brigade. Being a bit partial to that sort of thing and the wearing of badges and special accoutrements, the negroes were all for joining the fire-fighting company and doing their part in case of a conflagration; but the white pioneer firemen would have none of it.

Eagerness of the negroes to participate in the protection of the community which had become home to them, precipitated some racial bitterness on both sides, which, however, was never very serious, caused some amusement and probably enlivened the monotony of life in Victoria 85 to 90 years ago. While there are some stories of brawls occurring from time to time, no one was ever hurt seriously.

Denied membership in the fire brigade on account of their color it was a natural move when the negroes arranged to form an organization of their own, and on a military pattern, making the organization easy. Governor Douglas issued the necessary authority, which was vested in him

Given the authority, the negroes refused to accept any white persons in their "army," which soon became a smart-appearing aggregation, with three officers, 44 men and nine band instruments. The band gave them most concern; for the instruments were of little use if they couldn't be made to produce music and they had to find a white bandmaster to teach their musicians

MADE IN ENGLAND

Uniforms for this pioneer volunteer unit were made especially in England and issued by the Hudson's Bay Company. One can imagine with what enthusiasm those uniforms were donned, particularly for parade occasions. The uniforms were blue, with white facings and pipe-clay trappings, and finished a shako for head dress. Their arms were old Hudson's Bay flintlocks, though a few had more modern parts and off were issued, and were loaded with black powder and lead ball

Detailed from H.M.S. Swiftsure, a sergeant of marines became their chief instructor. Drilled every week in an old hall on View Street and their parade ground on Church Hill, they soon became a smart-looking organization. The officers were Captain Richards, Captain E. B. Johnson and Lieut. J. B. Johnson.

The career of the "African Rifles" ended with the arrival of Governor Kennedy. They wanted to form a guard of honor for the governor upon his arrival to take office, but some of the white folk were against it. The civic authorities finally banned the proposed parade, whereupon the negroes paraded to their drill hall on the day of the governor's arrival and fired a resounding volley of blank cartridges rang out Beacon Hill way and enjoyed themselves consuming a lot of roast chicken and drinking some kegs of good beer

After a night of thinking things over the brigade paraded in full strength to the Government Buildings, James Bay, for the purpose of paying their respects to Governor Kennedy. The band was much to the fore that day. Governor Kennedy reviewed the company and then addressed them. He regretted, he said, that he was compelled to refuse them official recognition, as there was really no authority for their existence with the administrative powers of the Hudson's Bay Company having with the establishment of Vancouver Island as a Crown Colony.

"I cannot recognize you," Governor Kennedy stated, "and would advise you to disband." He might have said more, but was too good a diplomat to make remarks which might offend a body of peaceful and wholly loyal citizens. The company saluted, marched to Beacon Hill where a skirmishing match was indulged in. Challenging this exercise the "African Rifles" regaled to town, turned in their equipment to the Hudson's Bay Company and passed out of existence as a military organization, and almost out of memory as well.

The Victoria Volunteer Rifle Corps was in existence four years. Organized in 1860 there was apparently some difference of opinion at one time concerning the life of the corps. Colonel Robinson concludes it must have been four years, for he quotes The Daily Colonist of April 8, 1864, in which an account is given of the fourth annual election of officers, which had been held the previous day. Governor Kennedy arrived in March, 1864, and apparently abandonment took place about that time.

"African Rifles" in full uniform.

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Service's "Harper of Heaven" Added to Fine Collection

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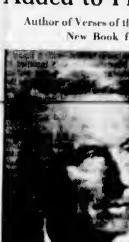

Robert W. Service

"Harper of Heaven," by Robert Service (McClelland & Stewart, $4.50).

This is the second and final volume of the autobiography of the man who wrote "The Shooting of Dan McGrew" and "The Cremation of Sam McGee."

It is a chronicle of an amazingly modest yet latent writer full of interesting travels, anecdotes and impressions.

Service, now 77, has been thought by many to have passed out of the scene, but as this book will show, he is still very much alive.

His first volume in the series, "Ploughman of the Moon," deals with his Alaskan adventures during the gold rush. "Harper of Heaven" starts when he is 40 years old and covering a war in Turkey before the First Great War.

He traveled widely, lived in Paris, Nice, and toured most of Europe, the South Seas and North America. He escaped from France to live in Hollywood when the Germans arrived. He has since returned to France.

One gains the impression from this book that Service was the soul of modesty. Although he was a personal friend of many of the great literary figures, including the late H. G. Wells, James Joyce and John Buchan and others, he secretly considered many of them stuffed shirts.

"One must be natural, write as one feels," he wrote. "I cannot be dignified. I must try to please people, and my friends are the humble folk of the earth."

Service spent many months touring the Soviet Union just before the outbreak of the Second Great War. He enjoyed it all, but shrewdly analyzed Communist character and poked fun at the absence of a sense of humor.

"The Communists take themselves too seriously," he claimed.

In an interview with his guide, a student, he asked the youth if Russia would ever arrive at democratic freedom.

"We do not want to," replied the young man. "We have something finer and higher—Communist freedom. We have the freedom to sacrifice freedom for the glory of the state."

"Harper of Heaven" is an amazing piece of work when it is considered the man who wrote it is 77 years old. It is interesting, factual and intelligently done.—J OC

The Odd Corner

JAZZ AGE ORACLE

Always remembered as the spokesman of the jazz age, F. Scott Fitzgerald lived the life of his story heroes—fast cars, Long Island week-ends, highballs and a life of parties.

It was the day of the women's new-found freedom, with suffrage, cigarettes, short skirts—oil, scandals, easy money, flivver and all the glitter of a mad age.

Fitzgerald was a born writer, and stories flowed from him, the money he received for them spent in a rush of golden useless dollars. "This Side of Paradise," established him and "The Great Gatsby," is generally considered his best work. During the ten years that followed he did little, and died in 1940 in comparative obscurity.

Fire, the Fiend of the Forest Flaming Truth in Book Form

George R. Stewart, in His New Novel, Combines Fact With Fiction to Produce a Piece of Good Work

"Fire," by George R. Stewart (Random House of Canada, $3.50).

A forest fire in California which destroys miles of timberland, and the conflict of man with the element is taken as the subject matter around which George R. Stewart has woven his latest novel, "Fire," the author of "Storm."

The book, however, is more than a novel. It is the story of man against the elements.

As the blurb on the jacket states, the hero of the novel is a spark left over when lightening destroys a majestic pine in almost flickers out, but through a chain of circumstances carries until it is raging through miles of valuable forest reserve, and being fought by all the resources of man, planes, trucks and hundreds of firefighters.

The characters in the story are few but dominant. There is Judith, a fire watcher at Cerro Gordo, near the scene of the conflagration; Bart, the ranger in the area, Ranger Jones, the superintendent; Dave Halliday, the meteorologist, and others.

There is even a love story involving Dave and Judith, yet so incidental does it appear that it adds more than it detracts from the body of the novel.

In an almost poetic vein, Mr. Stewart describes many phases, with equal emphasis given to the (?) fine novel, the author of "Storm."

The importance of fire in the life of man. Candles in the churches, names such as Brooke (burn—old), "Kindle" related to "kin," and many other examples show how much fire has meant to civilization.

The author is a scientist of the highest skill and a writer of great imagination.

The last chapter, in which he tells of the rebirth of life over the burned area, is almost sheer poetry.

"Smoke and cloud had vanished. Through the rain-washed air the ash shone brightly, and along the crest of the range the highest peaks were dazzling white with snow. Moist and clean, the northwest wind from the ocean blew steadily across the long ridges, and from high-swinging cones, opened by the fiery heat, the winged seeds drifted downward to the earth."—J.OC

British Travel Assoc. Photo

The peaceful serenity of an English Summer afternoon. Picture shows the Westgate, and Lord Leicester Hospital, Warwick, England.

Reviews in Brief

"The Atom and Its Energy," by E. N. da C. Andrade (Clarke, Irwin and Company, Ltd., $3.00.)

Since the layman reviewer is apt to get beyond his depth in assessing the merits of a book on nuclear energy, the best thing to do is to quote the author's preface. It says all that needs to be said, and, of course, says it much better.

"The interest excited by the atomic bomb, and by the prospect of the application of nuclear energy to peaceful ends, is sufficient excuse for the production of a book which sets out to explain to the reader not trained in the physical sciences the broad principles involved and the general results achieved. There are, it is true, already excellent books in the field, but those which do have seen deal almost entirely with the recent and sensational developments which have, very naturally, impressed the imagination and awakened the fears of all thinking men and women.

"What I endeavour to do here is so to discuss the general elements of the atomic theory, and the observations on which it is based, that these developments shall appear to be the inevitable outcome of an ordered body of investigation which has led us to a more and detailed knowledge of the atom and its structure, culminating in our penetration into the nucleus, on which the future of the world is balanced."

The author is Quain professor of physics in the University of London.—B B

"Four in Family," by Humphrey Pakington (Oxford University Press, Toronto, $2.00).

This delicate satire on country life in England in the period between the First Great War and the Second Great War opens with the marriage of Robert Warmington, an unconventional writer, to a girl Helen Cutler. In due course the family is enlarged by the births of Elisabeth, Joseph, Jane and Laura, and they build an unusual house in the countryside at Bodsey, Titcham.

Warmington insists on naming bedrooms in the house imaginatively, Centaurus, Calypso, Lion, Princess Royal and Cockatoo, after vessels on which he served while attached to the R.N.V.R.

His opinions on politics and other matters generally clash with those of pompous Sir Cecil Bennet, husband of his cousin Susan, the colonel's wife, makes valiant but unsuccessful attempts to bring culture to the countryside through the young People's Literary League.

There are the Eaton-Shrubsoles, whose wealth from the manufacture of carpet slippers enables them to drive about in two Rolls-Royce automobiles, the Dean of Severnhampton and the Bishop of Mandalay, Mr. and Mrs. Pilbeam, and many other characters who, in turn, are mingled to produce an entertaining and amusing account of life in the country.—O B

"The Magic Penny," by Babette Hughes (Clarke Irwin & Co., $2.50).

This story concerns a playwright, Dick Chapman, who, without apparent struggle, finds his first play a nation-wide success.

Unfortunately, the joys of life are spoiled for him because of a recurrent fear installed in his mind from youth.

At the age of six he had climbed a cherry tree, lost his nerve, and been afraid to come down. Finally, the local fire brigade did the trick, but the jeers of the crowd were to remain in his ears and mind for most of his life.

Visits to psychiatrists, frequent changes of job, wine, women and song fail to relieve his phobia. However, he eventually marries a woman whose character is strong enough to make him forget his fears.

The story seems to be written without any feeling and the characters are portrayed in a cold manner. The epic success of Chapman as a playwright looks out of place, the search throughout the story for relief from his imaginative sufferings is overdone to a point of absurdity.—O H H.

A Provincial Enigma

By JIM O'CONNOR

In view of the fact that British Columbia, particularly Vancouver Island, has long been a popular location for writers, it seems rather strange that there has not yet been an outstanding Canadian novel with its background set in this province.

Perhaps, like the land of the lotus eaters, British Columbia's climate is so languorous that it detracts and waylays the ambition and drive necessary to produce good fiction. This, however, cannot be entirely true, because many books of varied subject matter have already been written here.

For example, that recent best-seller in the United States and Canada, Three Cuna Back," by Agnes Newton Keith, was written right here in Victoria. Rosamond Marshall, author of "Kitty," and "Duchess Hotspur," is reported at work on another novel in her Cobble Hill home. So is Edward Meade author of "Remember Me," who lives in the city.

One Island writer, Roderick Haig-Brown, an expert on fishing and police magistrate at Campbell River, has gone farther than almost any author in utilizing British Columbia as a backdrop for fiction, and his "Timber," has had wide sale.

As far as natural scenery goes, British Columbia has just about everything to inspire good fiction. Lofty mountains, fiord-like inlets, the blue Pacific, rushing streams, and an abundance of wild life would form a natural background for any outdoor fiction.

In history, too, this province presents an interesting and varied pattern in which to write a novel. The colorful frontier and pioneer days would serve as interesting props for a thriling yarn, and the Provincial Library in Victoria, one of the most fully equipped in North America, could supply a wealth of source material.

There have been many excellent novels written in settings of most of the other provinces in the Dominion. The Prairies have been particularly prolific in this regard, and W. O. Mitchell's "Who Has Seen the Wind," Christine Van der Mark's "In Due Season," and Mrs. O. J. Walker's "Fortress North," are a few of the most recent written about this area.

Ontario, of course, has been the scene of many, and because of its varied ethnical groups, Quebec has been used frequently as background. Gwethalyn Graham's "Earth and High Heaven," and "Gabrielle Roy's "The Tin Flute" are two examples.

The Maritimes, too, have had their praises sung in the fiction of Thomas Raddall author of "Pride's Fancy" Hugh MacLennan's "Barometer Rising" and Thomas Chandler Haliburton's "Sam Slick."

It is conceded that this province has a small population compared with the more industrialized areas of Eastern Canada but many good writers are already living here.

So why don't they go ahead and write about British Columbia?

The World of Music

NEW YORK.—The Philadelphia Orchestra, which made its first concert tour in 1900, will take to the road once more on a transcontinental tour covering more than 12,000 miles this Spring.

Starting on April 26 in Buffalo, the orchestra will play 41 concerts in 31 cities, completing the tour June 3 in Chicago.

The 110-man orchestra will travel on its own air-conditioned train, consisting of seven drawing-room-sleeper cars, two baggage cars, a diner and crew car and a recreation car. It will travel for the most part by night, averaging six concerts each week in six different cities. In Toronto, New Orleans and San Francisco there will be two concerts, and in Ann Arbor, where the orchestra plays as part of the annual music festival, there will be six appearances, including Vancouver, B.C.

Kim Pinza, star basso of the Metropolitan Opera, has agreed to appear in a Broadway musical next season. He will be starred in a production tentatively titled "Mr. Ambassador."

Pinza has stipulated that he will not be required to do as much singing as is required in opera but will rely on his acting ability to put his part across. He announced he is not retiring from opera but expects to make guest appearances with the Metropolitan, as well as singing with the San Francisco Opera Company.

Arnold Schoenberg, whose work "Harmonielehre," will be published shortly in its first English translation under the title, "Theory of Harmony," has completed a major musical work entitled "A Survivor From Warsaw." The work, for which Schoenberg wrote his own text, is scored for a small orchestra with narrator and exclusively male chorus.

The Past Is a Livelihood for These Modern Merchants

By RENNY ENGLEBERT

IN talking of Victoria it is the custom to lay stress on the way the city is outstanding her former population. While it is true that she is no longer a sleepy mecca of purely historical significance the past will always be big business for her. One reason for this lies in the many antique stores

Up to a few years ago the antique business was chiefly confined to moneyed clients but recently it has begun to interest a wider public. This is attributed to writers on interior decoration who feature antiques in American journals more and more newly weds and others are looking for that "special piece" to increase their pride in their home.

The majority of Victoria's antique stores are situated on Fort Street. The quarters of most of them achieve a certain picturesqueness and a group reproducing early English shop fronts is particularly outstanding. Enthusiastic collectors and visitors who have had their fill of the city's sights and "our mountains" spend fascinating hours there

TREASURE HUNT

The windows are filled with diverse objects that lure you inside in search of other treasures. You will find everything from everyday salt spoons to a priceless, sterling silver tea service, from a minute musical cigarette box playing two tunes to one four feet long which plays twelve, from ordinary cope and saucers to rare blue Dresden candelabra, from uncommon Bohemian glass to massive Georgian sideboards. You will find, too, that the search for antiques brings the genuine thrill of the chase, though the quarry be only an inanimate spinet desk or a silver punch ladle.

In Victoria you are always hearing of people who started a business in the basement of their home or drifted into some enterprise although their original intention was to come here and retire. Several antique dealers fall in to either one or the other of these categories.

EXPERIENCE COUNTS

To be a successful dealer is not as easy as you may suppose. Besides knowing details of furniture construction, china markings, silver hall marks and finishing methods you must have a sixth sense—the knack of using your imagination. You have to be prepared to take chances and risk getting badly stung. Most dealers have agents in England from where almost 80 per cent of antiques come and they ship what are considered to be good selling items. One dealer had good luck when a client from Texas furnished his entire living-room from one shipment, but such good fortune is comparatively rare. Sometimes the dealer may buy beautiful Dresden china only to find that, to his customers, the coloring is wrong. On the other hand an article sent by an agent which the dealer deems horrible may be the first piece in a shipment to be sold.

THE FASHION TREND

Producing the right article for sale follows on fashion trend. The average person buys an antique because it is something he or she wants. The days of buying anything just because it is old are gone but when a piece has a romantic history it is of definite assistance in helping a client to decide about the purchase. Antique dealers make a point of asking where the goods come from. A duke's crest on silver or glass is a sure way of increasing its value.

From time to time the proprietor of an antique shop has to contend with people who think they know more about the business than the dealer himself but, for the most part, they are anxious to learn. The largest offenders, in this respect, are individuals who bring in something to sell, particularly if the object is a painting. They are convinced that their "masterpiece" is a Constable or an old Dutch master. As a matter of fact there are few paintings around older than 150 years, the rest are either in museums or belong to valuable private collections

DATING ANTIQUES

Checking the authenticity of antiques is an exhausting business. Silver is probably the easiest to date exactly. A book on silver hall marks lists them all from earliest times and the penalty for forging is as severe as counterfeiting money. You might as well jump into the river if you're caught at it.

A large percentage of china has its maker's name but, compared to silver, chip of a period item will hold it together long after much of today's furniture has been discarded.

The antique business can look forward to a relatively good future. Its most dangerous enemy may well be a careless packer. If you've been looking for a rare china piece for eight or nine years and it arrives broken, it's little consolation to get back your cheque. Fortunately such catastrophies seldom happen or there would be far fewer antique dealers in Victoria today.

A corner of an antique shop. Customers examine a rare piece of silverware.

Johnston Island, Forgotten Base

By JAMES E. ROPER

JOHNSTON ISLAND (UP).—They tripled the size of Johnston Island but it is still the smallest and most-forgotten American naval base in the Pacific.

Even the navy is about to forget the island, turning it over to the new independent air force on July 1.

The air force originally planned to take charge last year, but somebody forgot to list the island in the air force budget. So the navy has remained.

The built-up island, which the Japanese shelled on Pearl Harbor Day, has an airstrip runway 3,700 feet long, because that's as long as the entire island is.

Climbing to the sides of the runway—like smokestacks on the sides of an aircraft carrier—are the workshops and the homes of the 500 persons who man this key base on the Trans-Pacific air routes.

LIFE IS QUIET

All army and navy aircraft planes land at this naval aircraft carrier 824 miles east of Honolulu, but life still is so quiet that they change the movie program twice a day.

There's no place to go; the total area is only 160 acres, and none of it more than seven feet above sea level.

Newcomers are told that a girl hides behind every tree. But there are no trees.

A man has to be stationed here for six months before he may bring in his family. Living is so crowded that only 48 wives have been allowed to move here. But there is a Quonset hut school for the eight school-age children.

There have been born here. They are the first native Johnston Islanders because the island was uninhabited until Americans arrived.

LIKE TOWNLINE

From the air, Johnston looks like a ragged-edged atoll surrounded by a coral rowboat. The "rowboat" is Sand Island, a speck of coral connected with Johnston by a 6,000-foot coral reef that resembles a towline.

This "suburb" of Johnston is tangled by antenna of army and navy radio transmitters which keep the big trans-Pacific transport planes on their routes from Honolulu on to Kwajalein, Guam and the Far East.

Johnston also has a "subdivision"—the islands 30-yard-square northeast corner, which is known as "Birdville." Over that area swarm thousands of Mooning Birds and Sooty Terns, the remnants of the bird sanctuary that was set up here at the direction of President Calvin Coolidge in 1926.

In 1934, President Franklin D. Roosevelt turned the atoll over to the navy, which dredged up sand and dirt from the ocean floor to build the air base that has become a permanent part of America's air defences.

Making Faces Aids Stutterer

MINNEAPOLIS.—It isn't unusual to see students making strange faces in a huge mirror at the University of Minnesota.

It is one of the newer methods the school is trying out to cure stuttering.

Each year the university treats about 60 stutterers and about 300 others who have speech defects. The reason for the mirror is that it shows habits students have developed in their fight not to stutter, such as deep breathing, hard swallowing and whistling through their teeth.

In all, nearly 1,000 students and several non-students are treated with clinic facilities each year. Many of them are hard of hearing and, because of injuries or other reasons, never have heard correct pronunciations of words.

Protect Roots When Transplanting

By GORDON L. SMITH

THERE will be little difficulty in transplanting if one realizes that the important thing is to keep roots from being exposed to the air. Because this will weaken, if not kill the plant, professional nurserymen are careful to wrap all roots in moss, fibre, or keep some of the original soil around them, and they also keep them moist.

In every garden there is a lot of transplanting work to do. Tomatoes, cabbage, petunias, marigolds and other annual flower and vegetable plants will have to be taken from window boxes, hotbeds or from the flats in which they were purchased from greenhouses and set out in the garden. There will be other plants, like fruit and ornamental trees, rose bushes, shrubs, etc., to be moved or bought and planted. Often, too, in thinning certain flowers or vegetables planted from seed in the open, it is possible to salvage the plants taken out.

PROTECTING ROOTS

If there is any secret about this business of transplanting it is to protect the roots from air and sun, keep them moist before, during and after the transplanting, and make sure seed soil is pressed down firmly. Moistening before removal will allow a bit of earth to come with the roots and will prevent damage to the tiny hair-like feeding roots, which are essential if the plant is to survive. Plenty of water during the transplanting (and this applies to shrubbery and trees just as it does to tiny, little plants) will help compress the soil about the roots, forcing out the air and offset evaporation and wilting. If the weather is dry it is a good thing to keep the soil moist about the newly set plants, shrubbery or trees for a few days. A little chemical fertilizer spread close to, but not actually touching, the roots will also help the shock of transplanting. With small things like tomatoes, head lettuce, cabbage and annual flowers it is a good idea, where feasible, to protect them hot sun for a day or two.

HAVE RIGHT SEED

No matter how favorable the weather or how rich the soil, results are sure to be disappointing unless one uses good seed. This costs not a few cents a packet, but it is vital to success. It is also vital to use seed that is suitable for Canadian conditions. Something that might give wonderful results in the South or in Europe may be far too tender when planted in Canada. On this account it is advisable to stick to purchases from Canadian seed houses which only carry seed tested and approved by Government officials for Canadian conditions.

BEST PROTECTION

The best protection against insects and disease is a healthy garden, grown from good disease-resistant seed, well cultivated and free from weeds. Bugs usually lurk in weed growth waiting until the garden stuff is big enough for a raid. For those bugs that eat holes in the foliage use poison. For those that suck out the juices and make the plant wither use a spray that will burn. Disease usually hits the plant only and causes withering or rot in blackish spots. Chemicals like sulphur are used in this case. Often one good treatment will be enough, but with things like leaf hoppers and potato bugs which remain to get the young ones will be needed. Most chemicals lose their potency in time so a fresh supply each season is advisable.

Blueberry Bush Makes An Ideal Garden Plant

By CECIL SOLLY

MOST gardeners like to combine beauty and usefulness in their plantings. For this the blueberry bush is an ideal garden plant. It is perfectly hardy, and with its attractive white flowers in Spring, it would rate a place in any garden, even if it did not produce a crop of luscious fruits.

They don't take much space. You can plant them about four or five feet apart. While old plants may grow as high as ten feet, it is no trouble to keep them pruned to any height you desire.

They make a pleasant ornamental as well if they face the sun, or are at home as well in rows in a fruit garden. They do well in partial shade, but fall sun gives earlier opening and better flavor.

They thrive where huckleberries, rhododendrons or azaleas grow well. Open, loose soil, such as a mixture of peat, sand and loam, is excellent if there is an abundance of moisture in Summer.

The blueberry bush is very long-lived. In fact, it is considered a permanent fruit producer, since, with good care and pruning, there is no reason why bushes should not still be bearing heavily fifty years or more after planting.

POINTS ON PLANTING

It is recommended that at least three or four bushes be set out to make a planting to provide the necessary pollination as the flowers are self-sterile. The insect that does most of the work of pollination is the bumble-bee (not the honey-bee).

Although the presence of plenty of peat in the soil and the continued cultivation given to the land assist in keeping up a fair moisture supply, it is very essential to be able to keep the ground very moist all Summer so that the plants can get enough water.

CONDITION OF SOIL

The soil in which the berries are grown must be rich and acid. To accomplish this, the soil must contain a large percentage of rich humus.

This may be achieved by incorporating plenty of peat moss into the soil when planting and by applying humus or peat moss as a mulch.

CULTIVATION

It is recommended that the blueberry plants be kept entirely free from weeds and that the surface of the soil be cleanly and continuously cultivated. It seems to be the experience that light cultivation does the best work, because the blueberry bush is quite shallow-rooted. As they do not have root hairs, too close cultivation tends to stop root function.

A yearly dressing of 6-10-8 at the rate of a handful to a bush gives good results and a continued yearly crop of 25 per cent more fruit.

In fertilizing, it is necessary to make the application in Spring so that the food may be used by the plant, both to increase size and quality of fruit and to feed and build the new growth on which next year's crop will be produced.

Frozen Fruit in New Dessert

Recently a new frozen fruit dessert as creamy as ice cream and as flavorful as fresh fruit was demonstrated by the horticultural division, Dominion Department of Agriculture. Consisting only of pulped fruit slightly diluted with water and with sugar and small amounts of gelatin and ascorbic acid added, the dessert is frozen while being mixed and aerated by a paddle beater. Although entirely free of butterfat, it has the texture of ice cream.

Prepared in this fashion, most fruits retain their natural colors, from the pastel shades of melon and greengage to the ruddiness of raspberries. The flavor varies from the barely perceptible peach through the subtle rhubarb to the raspberry, which tastes even richer than fresh picked berries. The tart black and red currants are more pleasing to many when served with meals rather than as dessert.

The purpose of the Department of Agriculture in perfecting this dessert is to conserve food. Much fruit is wasted when a crop ripens rapidly in warm, muggy weather. By this new process the fruit can be pulped and frozen immediately, and later, sugared and stabilized by gelatin.

Result of several years of research by the horticultural division, this product can now be manufactured commercially, as complete particulars of the formulas and processes have been made available to the trade by the department.

The policy of making its discoveries available to industry is in line with the horticultural division's earlier improvements in dehydrating apples and in fruit storage at low and high temperatures. Under the direction of M. B. Davis, Dominion horticulturist, the division synthetically created during the war, the moist hot temperature of the jungle, to study the problem of feeding fruit to troops in semi-tropical countries.

Quality of Crops

If you're growing fruits and vegetables, you're after tasty and nutritious produce. Quality often must be measured by the senses. Animals decide by taste whether or not a crop has quality. Livestock will often avoid manured grass to the point almost of starvation. But they will pick out a chemically-fed great plot, no matter how small, and chew it down to the soil. They need something the chemical plant food supplies.

(Home Monthly)

—Photo and Plan by "Home Building in Canada."

Buff Brick Home in Colonial Style

For all its reminiscence of Colonial days, this buff brick house is romantic without being sentimental. Few houses present such a happy face to the street. Inside, the floor plan does not follow usual practice for a centre-hall house. The only room to the left of the entrance hall is the living-room, which extends to the same depth as the garage. The series of windows which face the street are duplicated on the opposite wall overlooking the back garden. The big open fireplace is a major attraction. Dining-room, kitchen and library are all to the right of the entrance, and are accessible from the hall which extends back to the convenient little first-floor washroom. Upstairs are three bedrooms, a bath, linen closet and huge storage room.

Seed Treatment Aids Gardener

Seed treatment is a confirmed and very necessary practice with grain growers and commercial vegetable gardeners, but to date it is practically unknown to the home gardener.

By treatment preparatory to planting, the seed gets a complete disinfection and a measure of protection for the crucial germination period which sets the pace for further growth and vigor. Most home gardeners in the past have too readily accepted expensive losses from plant diseases which can be easily controlled with a minimum of labor and a very small additional cash outlay.

In many areas root rots cut the home gardener's yield enormously every year and tended to discourage him in making future plantings. Seed disinfectants go a long way to remove this scourge as well as protecting seeds against decay and checking the growth of seed borne organisms. There are suitable seed treatments for all vegetable seeds, flower seeds and bulbs. Some insect pests such as the well-known thrips of gladioli can be controlled by treating the corms with a mercurial seed disinfectant before planting.

Seed disinfectants containing mercury or tetramethyl thiuramdisulphide as the active ingredient are used extensively in seed treating work and can be handled easily by the home gardener. These compounds dissolve quickly in water for a wet treatment of seeds or they can be applied as a dust. Consider the value gained from a "good catch" from the seed and stronger, more-productive plants, purchase of seed disinfectants is a slight addition to the operating cost and pays for itself many times over.

Seed treating has established a very definite place for itself in large-scale commercial vegetable and flower-growing operations and the advantages of this practice can now be taken up by the small gardener and flower-fancier.

(Home and Garden)

Chemical Feeder

The "biodynamic" advocates insist there is no safe substitute for compost.

The truth is that luxuriantly perfect plants are being grown today on a large scale by the use of purely chemical solutions in pure quartz sand that contains no organic matter. Seed and cuttings from these plants reproduce perfectly generation after generation.

(Home and Garden)

Blueprints, Specifications

A GOOD set of working drawings and specifications are necessary for the building of any house regardless of how modest or how elaborate the job may be. There is a basic part in home construction. Upon their completeness often depends the willingness of the loaning company to finance the proposition.

Whether the drawings or the specifications are the more important is a consideration of no consequence and leads nowhere . . . for either one without the other is inadequate. They should combine to describe in every detail the exact home of your dreams. Only by this means can complete satisfaction be achieved and annoying "extras" in the contractor's bill be avoided.

EACH ITEM PLANNED

One soon learns when planning and arranging to build a home that there are many considerations and details involved. But it is a later pleasant surprise to discover how much less ominous these numerous items become when herded together under proper headings to be dealt with definitely and separately.

A good set of specifications will, with orderly arrangement, define and limit the work that is to be done; establish and arrange for the choice and selection of materials and equipment which are to be used; define the workmanship both as to quality and method, and establish the responsibility for the various risks involved during the construction period. Although there is a more or less generally accepted form and arrangement which specifications take for residential work, there is a considerable variation of requirements in different jobs and the chief value of the accepted form rests largely in the completeness of its outline. Whatever the form may be, if the field is thoroughly and definitely covered in a clear and orderly manner the purpose of the specifications will have been fulfilled.

POINTS TO CONSIDER

Clearing Site: The exact extent of clearing to be done should be specified and definite provision made for the preservation and protection of such trees, shrubs, etc.

Excavation: Describe the quality of excavation work desired, listing all items including that for the cellar, footings, piers, plumbing lines, dry wells, septic tanks, drains, etc., and giving the minimum depths below finish grade for each item, if it is not shown on the drawings.

Footings: Describe the construction of footings and the materials to be used and give the sizes, if not shown on drawings, for each class of footing (under walls, piers, chimneys, etc.).

Foundation Walls: Describe the foundation walls, piers, etc., giving the material and methods of construction to be used.

Cellar Floors: Describe the cellar floor, its composition, including sub-base and finish, thickness, reinforcement, if any, method of drainage, etc.

Chimneys: State the materials to be used in the construction of the chimney; how flues, cap, fireplace and hearths are to be built.

Walks and Driveways: State what walks and driveways are included in the contract and their construction.

Framing: State what material is to be used in framing. If wood is to be used, give the kinds, grades and sizes to be used for sills, plates, girders, joists, studs, corner posts, wind-bracing, bridging, fire stops, rafters, ridge pole, sheathing, subflooring, etc.

Exterior Walls: Describe the materials to be used for exterior wall finishes, stating quality, sizes and methods of erection.

Roof: State the kind of roofing to be used, giving the grade and, if a trade-marked product is to used, the manufacturer's name and describe the method of laying. Describe leaders and gutters and how and by whom they are to be connected to the drains.

Interior Wall and Ceiling Finishes: State the kinds of wall and ceiling finishes to be used and describe fully.

Trim: State the kind and quality of materials to be used on exterior and interior trim.

Windows and Doors. Give the style, material, quality, thickness, and sizes of windows, and exterior and interior doors and frames, if not shown on drawings.

Equipment: List all equipment, not otherwise specified, that is to be installed, giving the manufacturer's names.

Miscellaneous. Weather stripping, insulation, water-proofing or any other items of work not specifically covered here shall be fully described.

Avoid Chilling Baby Chicks By Pre-Heating the Brooder

CHILLING is a frequent cause of death among baby chicks, and any measures which can be taken to prevent it, neuring are essential. One night with insufficient heat may result in the loss of an entire brood of chicks. The effects of chilling appear suddenly with diarrhoea, stupor and loss of appetite being the chief symptoms.

So that the chicks are comfortable right from the start, it is important that the brooder stove be lit and kept going for about three days before the chicks are put in. This drives out the cold and dampness warms the building, and also serves to check the brooder stove.

The brooder house should be large enough to provide one square foot of floor space for every two or three chicks. This may seem like a lot for baby chicks, but by the time they are six weeks old it won't be any too much. A reasonably large floor space makes it possible for the chicks to move away from the heat into a cooler area and to return to the source of heat as they wish. This hardens the chicks to lower temperatures and hastens the growth of feathers.

SOME SAFEGUARDS

A circular guard of cardboard or similar material, about a foot high and two feet away from the brooder, is desirable for the first few days. This will prevent the chicks from straying away from the heat and getting chilled, and will keep them from crowding into a corner. Crowding, whether in a corner or near the heat, will result in smothering. The guard should be moved a little farther away from the brooder each day until the end of the first week or so, when it can be removed. Before the guard is removed, however, it is desirable to round off the corners of the pen to prevent the chicks from crowding into them with the possibility of suffocating.

The action of the chicks is a good guide for temperature. If they pant, spread their wings, and scatter as far away from the source of heat as possible, they are too hot. When they are too cold, they crowd together and chirp loudly. If the birds are distributed evenly about the edge of the canopy they are apparently comfortable. A temperature of about 90 degrees F. is most required at first, and this should be lowered gradually after a few days.

Grow Flowers For Indoors

Often a corner of the vegetable garden or some place at the back of the lawn is set aside to grow flowers especially for indoor bouquets. Sometimes when a large supply of blooms are wanted for this purpose it leaves the regular borders a bit shy. Any of these flowers suitable for cutting purposes will thrive on the same sort of cultivation, etc., that the vegetables get. Certain flowers, indeed, like gladioli, sweet peas and others of which the foliage is not very attractive are best grown under these conditions.

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Old Homes and Families

By J. K. NESBITT

THE Pacific Coast today has left but two "bonanza king" mansions and one of them is in Victoria—Craigdarroch Castle, built by Robert Dunsmuir. The other is the Pacific Union Club in San Francisco—once the home of James Flood.

Both stand up in the public eye. Both, Craigdarroch more than Flood, are associated in Nevada with Flood, Mark Hopkins, James Fair and Charles Crocker, the "bonanza kings" of California — who erected their fabulous mansions atop Nob Hill. Only the Flood home remained after the great earthquake and fire of 1906. These men tried to outdo each other in the magnificence of their mansions — and perhaps Dunsmuir outdid them all, for his castle was more fabulous than any of the Nob Hill palaces in San Francisco.

COST HALF MILLION

Exact cost of Craigdarroch has never been known, but certainly it must have been well over $500,000. Dunsmuir brought an architect from San Francisco to design it. Apparently he gave an instructions: put no limit on the cost—merely told the architect it must look like a castle in Scotland. It stood in a vast estate of woods and formal terraced gardens — and a double driveway curved to Fort Street where the entrance to Joan Crescent and Craigdarroch Road is today. There were massive stone and iron gates. Part of the stone wall with iron palings remains.

It is said that late in 1890 when Dunsmuir wanted to come to the New World his wife was a little hesitant. She had two small daughters (Elizabeth and Agnes) and another child was on the way. Dunsmuir told his wife he couldn't go without her and that if she would come with him he'd make a great fortune.

"I'll build you a castle, darling," it is said he told her. "A real castle, like they have here in Scotland—a castle on a hilltop, with a tower—we'll even have a butler—and a coachman—and you shall be a grand lady, with a maid—and we'll have dinner parties with champagne—and you shall go to the opera in a carriage and sit in a box and have a tiara of diamonds on your pretty head. If only you'll come with me to that new land."

CASTLE OF DREAMS

And so Joan Dunsmuir was persuaded. It was her love for her husband, of course, and not the promise of a castle that caused her to leave all she knew and travel a great distance in a wild new land. For years she had no castle—and probably didn't think of it—for she had a large family, and there were no maids and coachmen the first 25 years on this Island.

The castle of dreams Robert Dunsmuir built for his wife that day so long ago in Scotland became a real castle of marble and stone, precious woods and stained glass. And, as he had said, there was a butler, and there were carriages and diamonds and champagne—and knights and their ladies dined and danced in the castle rooms and two of the Dunsmuir daughters married into British nobility.

Joan and Robert Dunsmuir knew toil and plenty of it until he discovered croppings of coal at Departure Bay, near Nanaimo. He sunk a shaft, but did not immediately find the seam. He then began a tedious and wearisome search and at last found it—beneath the roots of an upturned tree in dense forest. That was the start of his fortune. Dunsmuir died before his could live in his castle. Shortly after his death his widow moved in, and there she lived 18 years until her death in 1908.

FROM SCOTTISH HOME

But this is getting ahead of this fascinating story. Mrs. Dunsmuir was born Joan Olive While in Ayrshire, Scotland, in 1827. She and Robert Dunsmuir were married in Kilmarnock in 1847. They sailed from home in December of 1850, via Cape Horn and left the vessel at Port Vancouver, Wash., in June of 1851. There, the next month was born their first son, James — later to become Premier and Lieut.-Governor of British Columbia. Seven more children were born to them on Vancouver Island.

Craigdarroch Castle has four stories—and above is the tower lookout, a round chamber, its floor of tiles set with mosaics. It is like the tower from a fairy story, and one might well imagine the blushing daughter of a duke of old climbing the grand staircase at dusk and awaiting in the tower the first glimpse of her prince riding to her across the countryside.

SEAT OF LEARNING

Today the castle is headquarters of Victoria School Board. In the faint scent of an age that is dead, in one of this continent's few castles, surrounded by gleaming hardwood and bevel-edged mirrors and all the other elegances that will never come again, the School Board carries on its work 4-day job. Trustees on their way to the board room note the massive hall fireplace, with its scrolled motto "Welcome ever smiles and farewell goes out sighing." Just above a bronze plaque shows an animals-in-the-forest scene. The secretary has his office in the former library, with its parquet inlaid floor and fireplace with the Baron quotation "Reading Maketh a Full Man" carved into the mahogany. In the double drawing-rooms stenographers work and may look out through huge plate glass windows that touch the floor to the sea and mountains. The board room, with its mirrors and carved buffets, was once the dining-room. No school board in all North America can have so glamorous so romantic a setting.

ELABORATE WEDDING

Though Joan Dunsmuir lived quietly in her widowhood at the castle, her daughters entertained their friends there, and in 1901 was the elaborate wedding of the sixth daughter, Jessie Sophia, to Sir Richard John Musgrave, Bart., of Waterford, Ireland. The ceremony was at Christ Church Cathedral and The Colonist reported: "The wedding was the most fashionable and brilliant in Victoria—the body of the cathedral was filled with invited guests, while hundreds of ladies and dozens of gentlemen not so highly honored crowded the side seats, the aisles, the churchyard and the streets. Those fortunate in securing outside standing room were forced to content themselves with one short look at the bride as she entered the church on the arm of her brother, Mr James Dunsmuir, and another as she emerged upon the arm of her husband, while the bells pealed forth their tumult of silvery music and Mendelssohn's Wedding March echoed from the rafters of the Cathedral.

"The bride—the observed of all observers—bore herself well, seeming not to feel the rigid scrutiny to which she was being subjected. Her costume was of particular elegance and became her well. The dress was of white and silver brocade, with full court train, brocaded in silver in the pattern of the Prince of Wales crest; veil and trimmings of Honiton lace. The bridal bouquet was of white roses and for ornaments, a diamond pin and a diamond and pearl crescent, the latter the gift of the groom. Miss Effie Dunsmuir, Miss Musgrave, Miss Maud Dunsmuir, Miss Lizzie Harvey, Miss Birdie Dunsmuir and Miss F. Ward were the bridesmaids. Their costumes being white Charlotte Corday, with long sashes and flowers to match. Little Beatie and May Dunsmuir acted as train bearers, being followed by the Misses Olive Bryden and E. Dunsmuir, bearing caskets of flowers. Twenty young lady friends and companions of the bride acted as her maids of honor, attired all in simple white."

OTHERS OF FAMILY

After the church service 300 guests were received at the castle and later in the day Sir Richard and his bride left for the ancestral home of the Musgraves in Ireland. Of the eight daughters of Robert Dunsmuir and his wife—but one is living today —Mrs. Reginald Chaplin in Ireland. The others, in addition to Lady Musgrave, were Marion Joan (Mrs. Houghton); Mary Jean (Mrs Henry Croft); Emily (Mrs H. R. Burroughs—also married as the castle); Effie (Lady Gough - Calthorpe), Agnes (Mrs. James Harvey) and Elizabeth (Mrs. John Bryden). There were two sons—James and Alexander While, named for his mother's family.

Mrs. Dunsmuir lived to see James serve as Premier and Lieut.-Governor. No other woman in the province's history ever saw her son attain the two highest offices in the province. When he lived at Government House from 1906 to 1908, Mrs. Dunsmuir, in her old age, often walked through the terraced gardens of her estate and crossed Rockland Avenue to call on him.

A TRUE PIONEER

When she died in October of 1908, in her 82nd year—The Colonist recalled her early days in Nanaimo when she was indeed a pioneer, and editorially commented "She was a welcome visitor in every home where there was need of a clear brain, willing hands and a heart full of sympathy. Wealth did not come early to her husband and she knew what it meant to toil early and late for the children who were born to her. Hers was no rose-strewn path, but as she trod it she was always sustained by the consciousness that she was doing her best under the circumstances in which Providence had placed her and that best was well done."

Of Mrs Dunsmuir, Historian R. E. Gosnell has said "She was a woman of strong character and vigorous mind, a wide reader, keenly interested in politics and in public events."

After Mrs. Dunsmuir died there was no one in the West, with money enough to live in her castle. It was vacant some years, then the property was subdivided and the castle raffled for a dollar. The man who won it couldn't afford to live in it, no one would buy it, soon the city had it for unpaid taxes. In the 1914-18 war it became a soldiers' convalescent hospital and 25 years ago Victoria College (Su-

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In the castle drawing-room, left to right: Noni Harvey (Mrs G. A. Kirk), granddaughter of Mrs. Robert Dunsmuir; Maud Dunsmuir (widow of Col. Reginald Chaplin), Effie Dunsmuir (Lady Gough Calthorpe), Jessie Dunsmuir (Lady Musgrave).

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Craigdarroch Castle, showing the stone and iron gates on Fort Street

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Mrs. Robert Dunsmuir in her widowhood.

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Lady Musgrave

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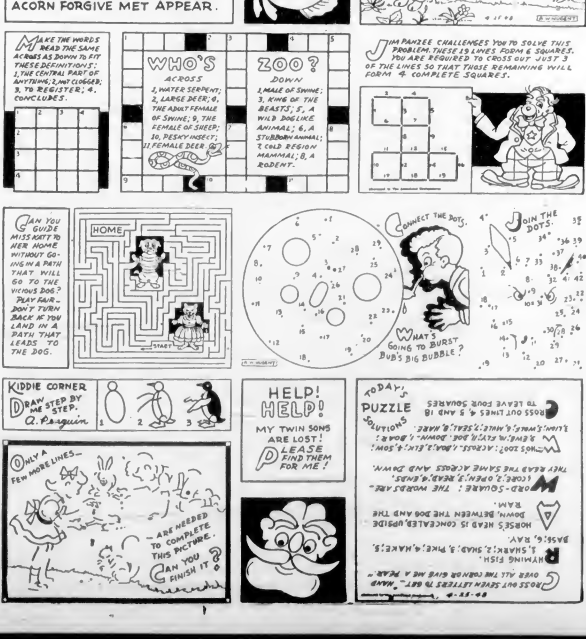
By A. W. NUGENT



Appetite Makes People Fat

WASHINGTON. Fat people have only their own appetites to blame for their excess weight, according to Dr. Louis H. Newburgh, a professor at the University of Michigan Medical School, who is conducting a course in basic science for army doctors at the army's medical centre here.

Dr. Newburgh says he reached that conclusion after ruling out all other explanations of obesity that have been advanced, and he offers little consolation to people who think their surplus pounds are inevitable.

Among the theories Dr. Newburgh does not accept are these: That the tendency to be overweight "runs in the family," and that fat is caused by malfunction of the glands.

It all comes down to a question of appetite, Dr. Newburgh says—and appetite is affected by so many social factors unrelated to true hunger that it isn't always a reliable guide to proper eating habits.

Some people take to food in time of trouble as others take to drink, according to the Michigan doctor.

"Weight always can be reduced by adherence to a restricted diet," he believes, "but co-operation by the patient is unlikely until the nature of obesity is elucidated and the particular reason for overeating has been discovered and explained to him."

By Order of the General

A Short Story

By HAL G. VERMES

BEULAH Everts should have been the happiest girl in all the world. But as the sad, sad tale of her broken drawing-room after the guests had left, a tear rolled down her cheek and, caught at the corner of her mouth, it clung there, trembling.

Her father had an hour before put away his long clay pipe on the mantel over the fireplace and gone to his room. Chloe, her dark eyes smiling in her shining black face, had come to the door and spoken softly.

"Ah's nigh onto one o'clock, Missy Beulah," she had said. "Does you want something before ah leaves for de cabin?"

"No, Chloe." Beulah replied without turning.

"You must be mighty tired after that big birthday party. Kin ah bring you a cup of tea to freshen you up before you goes to bed?"

"No."

"Well, good night, Missy Beulah."

"Good night, Chloe."

And still Beulah sat on the hassock before her father's chair, watching the yellow flames of the fire as they danced along the log and leaped into the air to the pizzicato accompaniment of the crackling embers.

On this her eighteenth birthday, she had been wonderfully happy. But her joy was touched with a sweet sadness because for the first time she had learned that when the cup of life is too full it brims over, turning gladness into tears.

The table in the centre of the room was heaped with the birthday presents her friends had given her. There was a minuet fan of ivory with beautifully decorated medallions from Pattinee Cuisier; a patch box of tortoise shell, a scarf from Aunt Rita, and long gloves of purple silk from Madame Mausion. Aunt Pamela had given her a silver flat already fitted with a scent bottle, scissors and thimble; and father had presented her with a pomander hanging from a fine silk ribbon.

"You are eighteen," he had said, kissing her tenderly, "and the perfume from this pomander will signify that now you are a lady of fashion."

There were more fans and gloves, silks and laces from France, and many other things besides. But as she gazed into the fire Beulah was thinking of two gifts that were not there.

Before supper there had been an old-fashioned candle dipping bee in the great kitchen. After the guests were seated in long rows, Chloe and her big-eyed daughter, trying hard not to giggle, passed out the candle rods and the dipping began. The wicks had to be lowered into the tallow very carefully, but this was done with much hilarity and it was therefore fortunate that aprons had been provided to protect the girls' laces and ruffles and the boys' silken hose from the dripping candles.

Beulah flew about seeing to it that the servants kept the big brass kettles filled and the candle rods supplied with fresh wicks. In the excitement her cheeks were flushed with rose and her blue eyes sparkled with merriment. At the sight of Jules and Henry solemnly engaged in dipping their wicks, their fine clothes hidden beneath the large checked linen aprons, she laughed gaily.

After she had passed, the two young men looked after her, their eyes upon her flying brown curls, and they both sighed a little.

"Mademoiselle Everts is very beautiful tonight," Jules whispered to his friend.

"She is a goddess!" Henry said softly.

"I would give my very life for her!" Jules exclaimed, dropping a firm fist on his knee.

"And I," Henry agreed.

Raising their heads, they gazed deep into each other's eyes and then looked quickly away.

Seeing them idle, Beulah ran over and came between them. "We will have no candles whatever," she chided, "if you two do not cease your conspiracy and set to work with a will." Bending down, she took the candle rods from their hands and as she dipped the wicks, her arms close against them and her warm breath upon their cheeks, the two friends were suddenly silent.

"There," she said, putting the rods back in their hands again, "that is the way it must be done. And mind that you are very careful, gentlemen."

Yet though they dipped their wicks and dipped again, following her instructions mechanically, when supper was announced they had little to show for their pains and their poorly made candles that would not burn were the source of much merriment.

But Jules and Henry did not laugh and when the guests were being seated in the dining room, though Beulah had put their place cards together for they had come to the party alone, Jules appropriated a chair at one end of the table while Henry took a place at the other.

Later, as the guests were dancing in the great hall to the scraping music of Old Moses's fiddle, Jules came upon Beulah resting for a moment on a settee near the outer door. Putting a warning finger to his lips, he took her hand and drew her out upon the wide veranda that ran the length of the house.

"Please sit here a little while," he said, leading her to a chair, "and permit me to speak with you."

"And what," she asked, teasing him, "has Monsieur Jules Dupont to say?"

"Only that in all Paris, Mademoiselle Everts," he replied, leaning his back against a high white column and looking down into her upturned eyes, "there is no one so lovely as you!"

Beulah was glad that at that moment the moon drew a tenuous white veil across its face and Jules could not see the sudden agitation at her breast. Putting her hand over her heart, she held them there as if easing a fluttering bird.

"I must go back to France," he said. "My business has been settled here long ago, but you know why I still stay on."

Beulah made no answer though she understood why he had not returned to his own country. He had not spoken before but she knew full well that it was she who kept him here. It had been only too obvious in his every gesture, his every glance. And while at any time she might have sent him away with a word, she could not bring herself to do that. Now, realizing that he must soon go, she was afraid.

"As you know," he continued, "General Washington has asked the Congress to make me a grant of land in recognition of my poor services to your country, but it is my duty to return to France and serve my King. Yet," he said, dropping to one knee and seizing her hand, "I cannot leave without you!"

"Please, Jules," she protested in confusion.

"No, Beulah," he cried, the words tumbling from his lips, "you cannot refuse. I love you more than King and country, more than life itself!" Lifting her hand, he kissed it passionately.

"Dear Jules," she said, relenting, "you have been very kind and I regard you with great affection."

Rising quickly to his feet, he drew her up into his arms in a torrent of passion and kissed her full upon the lips. She yielded to the sweet embrace for a moment but then suddenly slipped out of his grasp. Fleeing into the house, she left him standing there in the moonlight, his arms outstretched and empty.

Beulah ran to her room in utter confusion. Only after she had touched up her hair, powdered her face and put a gallant patch upon her chest, did she feel sufficiently calm to face her guests again. But she had hardly entered the hall where the dance was still merrily in progress, when Henry Yerkes sought her out.

"Come, Mademoiselle," she said with an inviting laugh, "let us dance."

"There are more important things to be settled," he said gravely, "where you and I are concerned."

"Serious matters of state, I presume?" she asked, lifting her brows and pressing her lips into a pout of mock amazement.

But Henry was not to be put off. "I must see you alone," he said, assuming a masterful manner that he found difficult to maintain before her laughing eyes. "Please, Beulah," he added faint-heartedly.

"If my lord wills it," she said, softening, as she turned and preceded him into the music room.

Henry closed the door, shutting out all but a whisper of the dancing and laughter in the hall. Beulah sat on the bench before the harpsichord while he went to the French window and opened it to let in a little of the evening light. Then he swung around and spoke to her from where he stood.

"I dare not come any nearer, Beulah," he said, his tone clipped, precise. "For your presence is more than my heart can bear. There in the moonlight you are like some fairy creature too lovely to live outside of my dreams. But I know that you are real, Beulah, when I feel the warm touch of your hand and see the sparkle of laughter in your eyes."

"You speak with the voice of a soldier, Henry," she said softly, "but your words are the words of a poet."

"Would that I were a poet," he said, "that I might tell you how very beautiful you are; that I could say how much I love you."

"No one can measure the infinity of true love."

"But I do love you, Beulah dear, with all my soul!" Raising his hands, he implored her with his eyes and, overwhelmed by his desire, she ran impulsively to his arms.

"Darling!" he said, holding her close.

And so it was that after the Fire Dance at midnight and long after her birthday party was over, Beulah, before the dying embers searching her heart and wondering deeply about the two precious gifts that were not on the table.

On a chill Spring afternoon several days later, two men rode back to Mount Vernon from an inspection of the outlying farms. One was Captain Robert Everts, Beulah's father. As he spoke to his companion, though his words were familiar, there was a touch of respect in his voice remaining from less peaceful days.

"You have been her confidant, George," he said, "almost since she was a baby."

"I have always loved the child," said the general, affectionately patting his white stallion as they rode along.

"She needs the counsel of a mother now," said Robert Everts, sighing. "But maybe the two of us can fathom some way."

"Yesterday she told me that she loved them both."

"But how can it be that she does not know her own hearts?"

"Perhaps it is because Monsieur Dupont and Lieutenant Yerkes have always courted her together."

"Yes. Henry and Jules have been inseparable since the war. They were like blood brothers until this rivalry tore them apart."

"They both have records of honorable service in the army. But which one, Robert," the general asked, his stern profile softened by a smile, "would you prefer for a son-in-law?"

"Proceed with the arrangements," the general said with sudden decision. "Say nothing at all to Beulah, and leave the rest to me."

"But, George!" Robert Everts exclaimed again.

His protest was interrupted by a soft knock on the door, it opened and Mistress Washington entered.

"My darling Patsy," the general said, relieved at the sight of her smiling face, "please call Robert off. I am tired and wish to be alone."

The sun rose over the Potomac and the [illegible] Robert Everts [illegible] plied. "As you say, they are both good men."

"But which," the general mused aloud, "is more deserving of Beulah's affection?"

"That is now for you to decide. As you suggested, I sent for them this morning. I believe they are already waiting for us."

Reaching the stables, they dismounted and turned over their horses to a groom. Then they went into the house and the general entered the library while Everts looked for their expected visitors.

"General Washington," he said when he saw them, "is ready to receive you, gentlemen."

The general had removed his greatcoat and was standing before the fire, warming his hands. As they entered he turned and greeted them cordially, his bright eyes sparkling with pleasure.

"You must forgive me," he said, coming to the point at once as was his manner, "for asking you here on a matter which is seemingly your personal affair. But as Captain Everts, her father, has been kind enough to allow—Miss Beulah is a favorite child of mine. Ever since her mother died, he and I have been deeply concerned with her welfare. And the question which confronts us now is which one of you gentlemen does she love?"

"She loves me!" Henry asserted with conviction.

"It is I whom she loves!" Jules exclaimed, his black eyes flashing with anger.

The general turned his head away to hide a sudden smile and when he looked at them again his face was grave.

"A true soldier is always ready to die for God and country and," he added softly, "for love."

"I would willingly give my life for her!" Jules cried.

And I!" echoed Henry.

"Then I order you, gentlemen," the general said solemnly, "to settle the matter with pistols!"

The two young men stiffened with shock at his words and then stared at each other, burning hate in their eyes.

"Agreed!" they said in unison.

"Then choose your seconds," the general said brusquely, "and have them report to Captain Everts at once. He will arrange everything." Nodding his head slightly to indicate that the interview was over, he turned back to the fire.

"But, Sawyer," Robert Everts protested after they had gone, "surely you do not mean to have them go through with this duel?"

"I thought that perhaps one of them would not have the courage to accept my ultimatum," the general replied, dropping wearily to a chair, "and so we might have learned who was more deserving of Beulah's love. But I should have known."

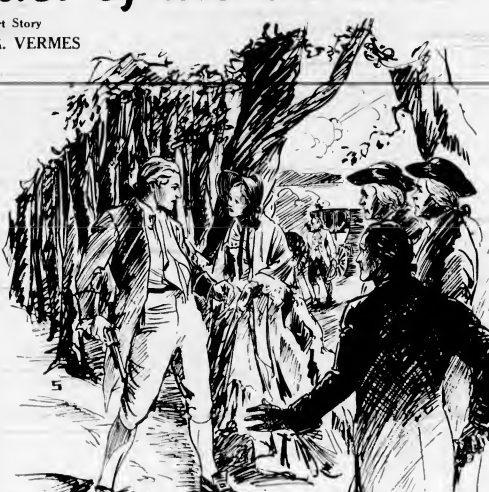
"And how shall we stop them now?"

"I wonder," shid the general thoughtfully, "if we should."

"But they are both excellent marksmen!"

"Is it not better to die for love than to go on living without it?"

"But, George!"



Beulah, with an exclamation of terror, ran toward Jules.

"Rise! Gentlemen, Beulah's father." Rising from his chair, he stood with his back to the fire, his hands behind his coat tails. The two young men, their faces pale, their eyes bright, stood before him.

"Gentlemen," he said, his voice low and grave, "I have spoken with Beulah's father and he has given his consent to your duel. Tomorrow morning, at dawn, you will ride to the Potomac and fire your pistols at each other. Beulah's father will be your second, Jules, and Mr. Washington will be your second, Henry. Beulah's father will arrange the details. Good luck to you, gentlemen."

Bowing, the young men left the room. Jules rode away before the morning light. He rode pierced the gloom of a wood in the lowland behind Mount Vernon and fell upon a clearing amongst the tall trees that stood like silent sentries all about.

In the deep shade, three men were conversing in low tones, and on the other side of the open space was another group engaged in whispered conversation. As the sun searched the woodland, two horsemen arrived and dismounted hurriedly.

"You may proceed, Captain Everts," said the short, bearded one. "I have but to get my cases from the saddle bags."

"I am afraid that we shall need you," Robert Everts said. "For Monsieur Dupont and Lieutenant Yerkes are determined to shoot to kill."

Leaving the doctor busy assembling his instruments, Everts strode to the centre of the clearing.

"Are you ready, gentlemen?" he called to the two waiting groups.

In reply the seconds brought the pistol cases to him and the weapons were exchanged and examined. Then Jules and Henry removed their coats and approached him and the captain placed them in position, back to back.

"I shall call off ten paces," he said. "You will then turn about, take aim, and wait for order to fire. Are you ready, gentlemen?"

"Ready," they replied firmly.

Stepping back, Everts began to count. As he called the numbers the two armed men paced them off with slow measured tread.

"Ten!" the captain cried.

They wheeled, raised their pistols and took aim. For a long moment the whole group was as unmoved as if suddenly turned to stone, the wind was hushed and there was no sound anywhere.

Then a shout rent the deathly silence and a pair of lathered horses burst into the clearing, drawing a swaying barouche. As the coachman pulled desperately at the reins, Beulah jumped out of the carriage and with an exclamation of terror ran toward Jules.

"So," said General Washington sadly, "we have lost her to France." Drawing his sword carefully about his breeches, he stepped down from the barouche and turned to watch Beulah as she threw her arms over Jules' shoulders.

"Oh, my dear!" she cried, knowing now that they faced death when one she loved, "don't shoot, I beg of you! If you truly care for me you will not kill Henry for I love him. I love him!"

Dropping his pistol to the ground, Jules silently turned away as Henry strode up and took Beulah into his arms.

"My dearest!" he whispered, his lips on her hair.

Then she general grasped Jules by the arm and brought him back to them. Taking Henry's hand he placed it in Jules' hand and held them firmly together with his own.

"It is hard to forget," he said softly, as if in benediction, "but a good soldier is always ready to forgive."

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King and Queen Wed 25 Years

In Their Family Life the King and Queen Have Set a Standard of Mutual Service and Influence Which Sets a High Example to Others

By ARTHUR NEUTLEUM

LONDON.—Congratulatory messages from all over the world have been pouring into Buckingham Palace this week. Just twenty-five years will have elapsed tomorrow since the Duke of York married Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon at Westminster Abbey. The wedding of the King and Queen, as they are now, took place amid great rejoicings on April 26, 1923.

HISTORIC OCCASION

It was an outstanding and historic occasion in more ways than one, even among royal events. It marked, for instance, a new approach to royal marriages, the bride being a "commoner" and the match being no mere political union, but a love-match in the fullest sense.

And now a quarter of a century of happy married life is behind their Majesties. To them, as to any other devoted couple the anniversary brings many memories.

Much has happened during those two and a half decades. Into them has been crowded, for the King and Queen, far more experiences than most people go through in a whole lifetime.

Betting up several homes, tours of the Empire, the births of the two princesses, the unexpected promotion to sovereignship, the tragedy of war, the recent wedding of their elder daughter, and the silver wedding celebrations.

To peoples everywhere, the home life of Their Majesties has been a model and an inspiration. Just before her marriage, the Queen confessed to a friend: "Whether I live in a cottage or a palace, I am determined about one thing. I am going to make it a home."

That ideal has been observed in Their Majesties' private life no matter where they have resided—and they have had several homes. To provide a real homely atmosphere has been their aim throughout the twenty-five years.

After the honeymoon, spent partly at Polesden Lacey, a lovely Surrey home lent by the Hon Mrs Roland Greville, and partly at Glamis Castle, the Queen's girlhood home the royal couple set up house at White Lodge, in Richmond Park.

AT 145, PICCADILLY

In preparing this royal home, the Queen was able to exercise her gifts as a home-maker. She put comfort and homeliness before other considerations, and the household was planned for happiness and not for show. The house soon became known for the careful efficiency with which it was run, and everything was supervised by the Queen.

The same rules governed her subsequent homes. They were her guiding influence when she and the King lived at No. 17, Bruton Street, London, and they regulated No. 145, Piccadilly, when that house became the residence of the royal pair. Another home which the Queen furnished and ran, when she was Duchess of York, was Chesterfield House.

Princess Elizabeth was born at Bruton Street, but the Piccadilly home was her real childhood home, and Their Majesties have specially happy memories of "145," and of week-ends spent at Royal Lodge, their retreat in Windsor Great Park.

They have spent more of the last 25 years at those two places than anywhere else. On the top floor of "145" a self-contained nursery suite was made for the two princesses, and in this house the King (then Duke of York, but with many responsibilities and an increasing list of public engagements) could always be sure of finding a haven.

Royal Lodge, too, was the scene of many happy little family affairs, with riding in Windsor Great Park and romps with the princesses and their pets as an antidote for the strain of public duties.

HOME COOKING

The King's fund of family anecdotes, which often enliven the royal family circle, centre largely round these two homes, the one in London's Mayfair and the other in the delightful neighborhood of Windsor Castle.

On the domestic side, the Queen has always taken a direct interest in the running of her homes, and she has not delegated the job entirely to others. It was not unusual, when she and the King returned to "145" at a late hour after an official engagement, for her to prepare supper in the kitchen.

Her sensible Scottish upbringing did not debar her from performing menial tasks, and she has never regarded them as beneath her dignity. She has an expert knowledge of cookery, and it has been passed on to Princess Elizabeth and Princess Margaret, both of whom have received lessons in the culinary art.

THEIR MAJESTIES

The King and Queen have led a full life, and it has been one of service for others. This has given greater color and increased happiness to their own home life.

SOCIAL WELFARE

The King has long taken a keen interest in social welfare work (remember his famous camp holiday scheme for boys, which he first promoted when he was Duke of York), and the Queen has given unstinted support to hospitals and children's homes.

Their Majesties have also been blessed with two daughters who have brought nothing but happiness to the royal home. Neither their royal rank nor the glare of world-wide publicity has "spoiled" the princesses in the slightest. That fact alone is evidence of the success of the married life of the King and Queen.

There has been twenty-five years of ideal partnership, a quarter of a century spent for each other and with service as their motto.

The celebrations will necessarily reflect the austerity of the times, but the good wishes received at Buckingham Palace will lack nothing in sincerity for that reason.

Centuries-Old Mud House

LYE, Worcestershire (CP).—One of England's last links with the early Britons will be broken with the demolition of a 300-year-old mud house here.

The house, descended from the primitive mud dwellings of the early Britons, is being demolished by Stourbridge council because of road widening.

Standing in narrow Cross Walsa Road, it is the last of a mud settlement which hundreds of years ago earned Lye the name of "Mud City."

After more than two centuries, rain is beginning to seep through the roof and extensive repairs would be needed to make the house habitable.

Just the same, Mrs. H. Mobberley, the present tenant, is sorry to leave. She has lived in the mud hut all her life.

Judge Rules Law on Betting Must Be Enforced for All

AUCKLAND, N.Z. (CP).—New Zealand's anomalous gaming setup, under which betting except at race horse totalisators (pari-mutuels) is illegal but is openly practiced by a large proportion of the population, has been emphasized by a case recently before the courts.

Bookmakers, who operate in every town and village in the country, are periodically fined and very occasionally given short terms of imprisonment, but action is rarely taken against their thousands of regular clients. Sometimes bettors actually found in a bookmaker's office during a raid are fined, the normal penalty being about $5, but although details of bookmakers' clients, who include prominent men in all walks of life, are often taken in raids, the customers are seldom proceeded against.

ONE SENTENCED

In the case that has recently been before the courts a school caretaker, John Maxwell Maxwell, aged 45, was sentenced by a magistrate to a week's imprisonment for making bets with a bookmaker. The sentence caused alarm among large numbers of the betting community.

In an appeal to the Supreme Court against the sentence, counsel for the prisoner pointed out that Maxwell was a first offender and he contended that there were not sufficient cases of this type coming before the courts to warrant a prison sentence.

Mr Justice Callan, in his judgment said that Parliament decided to make completely unlawful the occupation of bookmaking. It did not confine itself to making the bookmaker punishable; but also made punishable any member of the public who betted with a bookmaker.

PARLIAMENT MADE LAW

"The court would be unusually blind," continued the judge, "if it failed to acknowledge that it knows that the law is broken practically every day of the year by large numbers of New Zealanders, but Parliament made that law and has retained it and it is the court's duty to enforce it.

"When the public sees the court enforcing the act of Parliament they are not to imagine that a particular Judge or magistrate is bringing any view of his own into the matter. He is not entitled to have any views, neither is he entitled to refuse to administer the law because he knows a large number of his fellow citizens exceedingly dislike it."

New Water-Bus Service Is Operating on Thames

By RENE CUTFORTH

LONDON.—The water-bus from Westminster Pier to the Tower of London is the most comfortable public vehicle in London.

It is a sixty-six foot, Diesel-driven pleasure boat called The Odelia—one of a fleet of four, and the two big saloons are fifteen feet across and arranged like exceptionally roomy buses. There are outside seats on the deck, but the wind was too cold for these to be popular.

Each water-bus can carry about 150 passengers, under cover, and can cruise at about ten knots. Time from Westminster Pier to the Tower, which is about a mile and a quarter, was under fifteen minutes, which compares favorably with the speed of land traffic in the "rush" hours.

It is a pleasant way of traveling, too. There is no rocking or wallowing, and London looks best from the river.

The Government is relying on private enterprise to run this service, and no public money is to be spent. The boats are owned by Mr. Odell, a well-known Thames waterman, and a holder of Doggett's Coat and Badge—the medieval award to all top-class watermen—and he thinks he can make a profit if he keeps his fares at about the level of the land buses.

At any rate he is going to try, and some time early this Summer—the exact date depends on when the new piers at Putney and Charing Cross can be finished—the Ballhourly service will be inaugurated. It is hoped to start on June 1.

The fares are easily recognizable, because they will carry a flag marked "River Service" as well as the owner's house flag, a Blue Peter with an "O" in the middle. All there is to Odelia, The Obe and The Ote.

The Minister of Transport said that he hoped these water-buses would help to ease London's traffic congestion, because, for several years to come, there is no possible hope of relief by more buses, tubes or trains.

(Condensed From a B.B.C. Broadcast)

South Africa Needs Cars

BLOEMFONTEIN, South Africa (CP).—It is more difficult to buy a new automobile in South Africa today than it was a year ago and the Union's car distributors have a bigger backlog of orders to fill than they had a year ago.

This situation was reported by Les Oates, a leading figure in South Africa's automobile trade. Automobile imports increased by one-third last year and will probably increase by another third this year, but the demand still won't be met, said Mr. Oates.

"In the United States, car factories have a backlog in excess of 15,000,000 and the maximum production they can achieve this year is less than 6,000,000. The principal increase has been in the output of British cars," he said.

"The United States is only just starting to step up production."

South Africa's output take 30,000 cars a year for the next ten years without becoming overstocked, said Mr. Oates.

Raise Porkers For Britain

BRISBANE, Queensland (CP).—Britain will get most of her pork and bacon from Australia if a scheme to make Central Queensland a "Food for Britain" area develops along planned lines.

The British Overseas Food Corporation and the Queensland Government are jointly investing $6,400,000 to cultivate 330,000 acres of black-soil country along the Nogoa River near Emerald, Central Queensland.

Present plans are to cultivate sorghum and sunflowers and to establish a pig industry to breed a minimum of 500,000 pigs to Britain every year. The area later will be extended to include other food-processing industries.

Edward Hanlon, Premier of Queensland, told Parliament it eventually would be the biggest agricultural undertaking ever tackled. His government gave the corporation permission to extend its activities to any areas in the state.

"If the scheme is successful it could be an answer to the problem of closer settlement in Queensland—particularly the inland areas where lack of transport makes it unprofitable for the small farmer to operate," said the premier.

Sport Short

By MICHAEL O'MARA

LONDON (CP).—Two figures in knightly armor brandished broadswords, advanced across the greensward toward each other and cried through their visors "Cailiff, I would fain slit thy weasand," and "Not so, I will cleave thee to the chine," as the clang of 500-year-old steel on steel re-echoed near Mottisfont, Hampshire.

They were Adrian Conan Doyle, son of the late author, and Captain Douglas Ash, an artist, who for months have been retiring in speech, dress and dress the days of Crecy and Agincourt.

Their purpose to launch a "back-to-medievalism" movement in sport.

Their duel ended—no blood was shed—Doyle, whose father's works included "The White Company," a tale of the Hundred Years' War, and Ash relaxed to tell reporters their views.

"Bire, this is no merry joke," said the six-foot Doyle, unbrinning himself. "Come quaff a stoup of ale and tarry awhile, for I am battle weary."

Pointing to the perspiring captain, he added "This oaf has cut me all every this day."

Ash bowed with a sweep of his gauntlated arm.

"The trouble with people today," he elucidated, "is that they are losing all their individualism and chivalry. We want to change that.

"Instead of sportsmen we have become a nation of sports-watchers."

"He's dead right," chimed in Doyle. "There's no sport in hacking a leather pudding around a field. This is the only true sport."

He grabbed for his ten-foot-long sword.

Readjusting his visor, Ash went changing across the lawn after him, roaring: "By my two-handed sword I will spill thy knave's blood."

Catches Snakes For Pastime

SYDNEY.—Eric Worrell, a 23-year-old zoologist and crocodile hunter of Lilyfield, near Sydney, is busy teaching his 22-year-old fiancee to catch snakes. The girl is Miss Carol Hawkins and she says "I find snakes and lizards much more fascinating than either horses or dogs. Once upon a time a lizard was repulsive to me but now I love them and I can even pick them up."

When they spend an afternoon at home, Mr. Worrell and Miss Hawkins play with two pet pythons which they turn loose in the living room. Mr. Worrell's other playmates include four death adders, a six-foot black snake and 100 lizards.

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"Mother City" of South Africa

CAPETOWN, legislative capital of the Union of South Africa, one of the four sovereign independent Dominions of the British Commonwealth, prides itself on a high degree of cultural achievement, rare in so young a city and country. The history of Capetown as an embryo city of South Africa as the main stronghold of European civilisation in Africa began on the same day—the day in 1652 when Commander Jan van Riebeeck landed with a small force of Dutch soldiers and colonists to establish a victualling station for the ships of the Dutch East India Company on the shores of Table Bay.

FORTRESS STANDS

The fortress, erected by Van Riebeeck and his successors in the service of the Dutch East India Company with the often unwilling assistance of the free burghers of the early colonial days, stands to this day as the Castle, headquarters of the Cape Command of the Union Defence Forces and Capetown's most cherished historical monument.

Electric trains, plying to the suburbs sprawled the length of the rocky Cape Peninsula, run today where ships' boats once sailed on their errands to the water gates of the Castle. To landward of the Castle, over flat country which was once watched vigilantly by company soldiers who feared the sudden onslaught of the Hottentots, the city stretches with a variety of motor traffic.

SEAWARD APPROACH

The seaward approach to Capetown differs greatly from what it was a generation ago, when the Victoria Basin of a seant area of the Union's Table Bay's only safe anchorage. The Duncan Dock, measuring 200 acres in eighty years so constructed that Capetown has acquired several hundred additional acres of foreshore, offers port facilities which, with the new Sturrock Graving Dock, 1,149 feet long on keel block, 156 feet wide at the coping and 40 feet deep at the entrance sill, are certainly as adequate as any in the Southern Hemisphere. Table Bay Harbor played a major role in the war as a victually and repair base.

Capetown is the southern road, rail and air terminal of the Continent, feeding imports to the vast interior of the Cape Province and to some of the bigger cities of the former independent Boer republics of the Orange Free State and the Transvaal, and receiving in exchange the agricultural produce of the fertile Mediterranean regions of the Western Cape.

EXPORT TRADE

It is no novelty for a ship to unload motor cars and machinery at Capetown and sail with her holds filled to capacity with diamonds and copper (from Namaqualand), gold bullion (from the Witwatersrand), wine from the vineyards of Constantia, choice fruit from Western Cape valleys, canned crayfish from the cold waters of the Atlantic, wool from the barren inland plains, ostrich feathers from the rolling plains of Oudtshoorn and wattle bark and sugar from the plantations of semi-tropical Natal.

Railway communications are so much a part of Capetown's being that when, a decade ago, the reclamation of the foreshore was planned and a reorientation of Central Capetown was projected, the Union Department of Transport was given as full a say in the reconstruction of the historic city as was the city councillors.

Capetown is a prosperous and cosmopolitan city — Europeans of mixed Dutch, English, German and French descent; natives from a hundred African tribes, Malays, Indians and colored people of indeterminate blood rub shoulders in the streets — but Capetown is proudest of her culture than her prosperity.

South African Official Photo.

One of the entrances to the House of Parliament from the shady Government Avenue, Cape Town.

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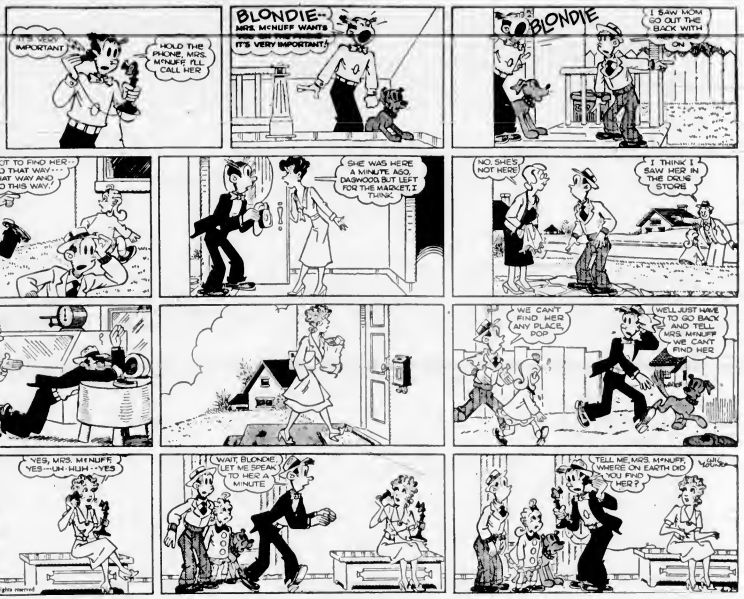

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